

POLICE PUZZLED OVER THE DEATH OF ALLAIRE

WAS IT SUICIDE OR A CASE OF MURDER.

Body of H. Allaire of Fruitvale Found in Golden Gate Park—He Was a Forger.

Love for liquor, forgery, bitter remorse, and death by suicide are the tragic elements entering into the life of H. Allaire, a local insurance man, who yesterday came to a lonely and miserable death in Golden Gate Park in San Francisco by his own hand.

Owing to the unusual circumstances accompanying the death the police of San Francisco first pronounced it a case of murder and proceeded on that theory. But in the light of subsequent developments on this side of the bay there does not seem to be much question but that the fear of disgrace and exposure drove the dead man to his death.

HE WAS A FORGER.

He forged the name of A. H. Pratt, one of his best friends, and the local manager of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, to a check for a paltry \$5. This weighed on his mind and plunged him, according to his friends, into the deepest despondency from which he was never aroused from and which terminated in his seeking a lonely spot in Golden Gate Park and there putting an end to his existence, by sending a bullet through his brain and also by taking the precaution of swallowing a phial of morphine. To add to the pathos of the tragedy, the deceased leaves a wife to whom he was much devoted and three children, all of whom reside in Fruitvale.

LEFT THE RAILROAD.

A year and a half ago Allaire left the employ of the Southern Pacific Company. He had been the private secretary for E. O. McCormick and Vice-President Stubbs and entered the employ of Mr. Pratt, who is the Oakland head of the Equitable Life Insurance Company.

By his brilliant work Allaire soon gained the confidence of his employers and was placed in a position of trust and was placed in a position of trust to better his condition he fell from the path of duty and permitted himself to become enslaved to the charms of the bottle.

This was the beginning of his downfall. To gratify his appetite for liquor he is alleged to have abused the confidence of his friend on several occasions. The forging of the check of \$5.00 was but an incident to his other acts. For the last ten days it was noticed that he was unusually despondent but nothing was thought of the matter by those who knew him. On Monday morning he left his home in Fruitvale and that was the last seen of him by his family. He appeared at the offices of the Insurance Company but did not remain long. He was seen again by friends on Tuesday evening but that is the last known of him until he was found dead in Golden Gate Park with a bullet hole in his head and a bottle of morphine lying along side of him.

BODY FOUND.

He was found by W. F. Horton who resides at 1335 Baker street, San Francisco. The body was lying about 150 yards from the life saving station near the railroad track.

When the police arrived on the scene the first thing to attract their attention was the fact that there was no

LORD CURZON TALKS OF RUSSIA AT WRONG TIME.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 2, 2:30 p. m.—Tokio dispatch received here reporting the members of the United States Legation there as making enthusiastic speeches on the occasion of the Perry banquet, given at Tokio March 31, avowed much comment here, in view of President Roosevelt's proclamation enjoining the strictest neutrality of word and speech on the part of all Government officials.

The speech of the Viceroy of India, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, March 30, at Calcutta, when he reviewed the last five years of Indian administration and referred to the Government's watchful policy, attracts more attention than Colonel MacDonald's victory in Tibet. It was considered to have been especially inopportune just at a time when an English bailing in Russia is decreasing, as it tends to revive animosity, but coming from Lord Curzon the words carry less weight, perhaps, than they would from other quarters, as he is looked upon as having his own special policy for India. As Cecil Rhodes had for South Africa.

The Bourne Gazette, in an editorial entitled, "A Voice from India," says: "All of Lord Curzon's speeches have the fundamental idea of the shadow of

pistol near the dead man although there was a bullet hole in his head. It was this incident that immediately suggested the murder theory. The wound was directly over the temple and would ordinarily be termed instantly fatal. It would have apparently been impossible for any one after having received such a wound to have walked any considerable distance.

The police made a very careful search of the immediate vicinity but there was nothing in the way of firearms discovered. So strongly was murder suspected that an investigation was immediately ordered and the city chemist instructed to make an analysis of the stomach to ascertain whether or not any morphine had been taken into the stomach.

Even though the autopsy should reveal the presence of morphine in the stomach it is argued that this would not explain the fact that there was a bullet wound in the head which had been inflicted apparently by some one else than the dead man. This is a point in the opinion of the police which will be hard to overcome despite the presumption of suicide.

The body is now in the San Francisco Morgue where an inquest will be held.

HOW HE FORGED.

When seen this morning by a TRIBUNE reporter, A. H. Pratt of the Insurance Company for which the deceased worked was very reluctant to talk. He refused to give the time that the peculations of Allaire had covered or how much the amount was.

"The forgery is a matter of public record," said Mr. Pratt "and that can be easily obtained so I do not mind telling you this incident. On March 26 Allaire forged my name to a check for \$5 which he passed on M. Medin. When the check was presented to the Central Bank it was pronounced a forgery. After that I did not see Allaire. This was merely an incident to other acts that he had committed. He was a brilliant man and it was only drink that stood in his way of making a success of life. I swore to the warrant asking for his arrest after he was dead. Had I known that, I would never have done so."

"I believe that the dead should be left alone. It was not my purpose to prosecute him particularly on this charge but I thought that he had left the State and was running away. I wished him to clear up certain things and for that reason swore to the complaint. I do not know whether he committed suicide or not. In San Francisco there is a class of people who will hold you up and kill you for a twenty-five cent piece. He had some little money on him when he left. As none was found on him when he was discovered this tends to the belief that he may have been murdered. I will not be ready to believe that he committed suicide until it is proven."

The family of the deceased resides in Fruitvale and comprises a wife and three children. There are two daughters aged 17 and 14 respectively and a son aged six. They are left in practically destitute circumstances.



A FEAT OF HORSEMANSHIP: RUSSIAN CAVALRY CROSSING A RIVER.

NO NEWS OF ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

Russians Train Dogs to Act as Messengers—All is Quiet at Czar's Stronghold.

TOKIO, April 2, 5 p. m.—The Navy Department has no information concerning an attack on Port Arthur by Vice-Admiral Togo, reported to have taken place during the night of March 30-31, and it expresses doubt that another general attack has occurred.

In this connection a naval officer said it was possible that a few Japanese cruisers were in the vicinity of Port Arthur and that there may have been an exchange of shots, but he was certain that the main Japanese fleet had not been engaged.

NO CHANGES AT PORT ARTHUR.

PORT ARTHUR, April 2.—It is quiet here and there is no change in the situation. The weather is warmer and the sick and wounded are making good progress toward recovery.

The Japanese who were killed in the last attack on this place were buried today in the Chinese cemetery outside the town, with military honors.

It is hoped it will be possible to raise the Japanese ships which were sunk in the attempt to block the harbor.

GENERAL ALLEN GOES TO MANILA.

SEOUL, Korea, April 2, 12 noon.—Brigadier General H. T. Allen, United States military observer with the Japanese forces, is about to start for Manila.

General Allen was recently stopped by the Japanese authorities at Ping Yang with the request that he go no nearer the Japanese outposts, and the correspondent of the London Daily Mail at Seoul reported two days ago that the Japanese had requested General Allen to return from Ping Yang to Seoul until such time as they could provide fitting accommodation at the front for the mili-

NAMED AS THE KOREAN MINISTER.

SEOUL, Korea, April 12, 12 noon.—Kim Kai Jin has been appointed Korean Minister of Foreign Affairs, following Pak Che Sun in this office. Pak Che Sun was until recently Korean Minister to China. Before the office of Foreign Minister was given to Kim Kai Jin it was declined by Pak Che Sun, who said he did not wish to officiate.

Kim Kai Jin is a very prominent man in Korea and has in the past been head of several ministerial departments. He was a member of the Progressive party in 1894. He was until very recently chief of the Privy Council, but he has not enjoyed high favor because of his high progressive principles. His sympathies are with Japan.

COPTIC SAILS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The steamer Coptic, which sailed for the Orient today, carried 3800 tons of general merchandise, 2500 tons of which was consigned to Japan. This includes 1000 tons of barley for the Japanese Government.

THURLOW M'MULLIN TAKES A BRIDE.

MARTINEZ, April 2.—ThurLOW M'Mullin, aged 59 years, a member of the firm of Tillman and Bendel of San Francisco, and Miss Mary Sheehan, aged 44 years also a resident of San Francisco, were married here this morning.

A license was secured at the office of the County Clerk after the arrival of the morning train on which the contracting parties were passengers.

The parties lost no time in having the nuptial knot tied after they secured their license.

They are going to Europe on a honeymoon trip.

BRITISH FOUGHT STEADILY.

How the Thibetans Went to Their Death.

Tried to Fight the Enemy With Swords and Were Killed.

TUNA, Thibet, April 2.—The Thibetan General, the whole of his personal escort and five high officials were among the hundreds killed in the fighting of March 31st at Guru, Thibet.

The small British losses are accounted for by the fact that the Thibetans were so huddled together that the majority were unable to either use their swords or fire. The swordsmen in the front rank could not reach the Sikhs, who had fixed bayonets, while the men in the middle of the mob could not reach the enemy, but many of them probably killed each other in the mad excitement.

The scene recalled old time fights in cockpits, the grim, determined faces of the Thibetans, lighted with devilish savagery, expressing contempt for the Sikhs, whom they outnumbered, six or seven to one.

When the Thibetan general fired the first shot, the Thibetans with wild shouts drew their swords, fired their matchlocks and surged forward.

About a dozen swordsmen made a desperate attempt in the direction of Colonel MacDonald and a small knot of officers.

Four Thibetans attacked Mr. Chandler, the correspondent of the London Mail, but Colonel MacDonald seized a rifle and shot down two of them at a few yards and another officer killed the other two, thus saving Mr. Chandler's life.

Those of the Thibetans who tried to climb the wall were met with a terrible magazine fire, but they did not falter, those behind springing over the heaps of dead and continuing the fight until riddled with bullets.

When finally the Thibetans retired they tramped back slowly and steadily though followed by a hail of bullets. A mountain battery was brought into action and tore the retreating lines with shrapnel.

A terrible trail of dead and dying marked the line of march.

At length the last wounded and limping Thibetan turned the corner some 400 yards from the scene of the grim tragedy where the best of the Thibetan army had perished.

GREAT FLOOD IN COSHOCTON.

COSHOCTON, O., April 2.—The flood throughout Coshocton county is the highest since 1898. People are being taken from houses in boats. The lower part of this city is submerged.

NO TRACE OF THE BANDITS.

Detectives Are Working the Wires From Redding.

Trying to Find Out Where the Robbers Bought Dynamite.

REDDING, Cal., April 2.—Armed posses and brush scouring parties are features that have been eliminated from the pursuit of the bandits who held up the Oregon Express on Thursday night at Copley.

The attempts to apprehend the men who killed Messenger O'Neill and blew up the express car, to get nothing for their crime, are now assuming the nature of detective work.

All the officers are in Redding and all are remarkably reticent about the lines upon which they are working.

It is known, however, that they believe the novices who held up the train live in this immediate vicinity.

The tracking of the three men to a point on the railroad between Redding and Keswick station, where the track could no longer be followed, is the point upon which they base their theory.

The officers are working hard to determine where the robbers secured the dynamite with which they were so well supplied.

That portion of the explosive that they did not use, the robbers left behind.

It is wired in bunches of ten sticks each, a method employed in mining when heavy blasts are required.

The bandits were plainly not miners. Had they been they would have known better the force of the explosive and not used so much of it.

Therefore, argue the officers, the men took the giant powder from some mine.

BIG FLOOD IS FEARED.

COLUMBUS, O., April 2.—A report has just been received from Lakeview in Logan county, at the head of the Lewis-town reservoir, that the foot break has been torn in the bank of the reservoir in the wasteway, and the water is pouring through the break at a rapid rate. The people have been warned and it is thought there will be no loss of life.

It is feared that the entire embankment will go.

IMPORTANT AUCTION

Of grand upright piano, furniture, carpets, etc., on Tuesday, April 5, at 11 a. m., at 254 Ninth street, near Alce.

We received instruction from Mrs. O. Breslin to sell her magnificent mahogany furniture, fine odd mahogany parlor pieces, lace curtains, soft oak bedroom sets, two dressers, chiffoniers, bookcases, elegant hall mattresses, sewing machine, blankets, very fine carpets, hall hat rack, paintings, fine kitchen range with water back, Jewel gas range, and all the other costly furnishings contained in above elegant flat. Flat to let.

Ladies will be certain to get bargains, as sale is absolute, rain or shine.

MEYSEL & MEYSEL, Auctioneers. Office corner Euclid and Franklin. Phone Cedar 621.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions from Mrs. Hockley, 252 East Thirteenth street, East Oakland, to sell the fine furniture, carpets, etc., of her 16-room house. Sale Monday, April 4, at 11 a. m.

Comprising in part: Fine odd parlor pieces, Brussels carpets, lace curtains, oak bedroom suits, bedding, odd oak dressers, folding beds, chiffoniers, enameled beds, dining-room furniture, crockery and glassware, gas stoves and kitchen furniture.

All must and will be sold.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers. Office, 1501 Park street, Alameda, Cal.; Telephone Alameda 435. Rooms 412-413 Call Bldg., San Francisco. Phone Albin 527. Auction sales of furniture at private homes a specialty.

CONTINUATION AUCTION SALE.

Of the fine iron and brass beds, chairs, bedroom furniture; also a fine line of sporting goods, etc., etc., at No. 934 Franklin street, Oakland, Sat. Saturday evening at 7 p. m.

J. A. MUNRO, Auctioneer.

RUEF IS BUILDING UP A STATE MACHINE.

Good Story on Robert Ferral—The Timber Land Cases—Lieut. Carrigan's Money.

The Republicans have not yet agreed on a candidate for Congress in the Fifth district. When Arthur Fisk became Postmaster, Charley Shortridge thought that he would have a clear field in the Fifth, but the bosses are not enthusiastic over the statesman from San Jose. Congressman Wynne, having fought the last fight to the Labor Party and lost, began to pave the way for a return to the Republican ranks, thinking that he might be able to secure the nomination from the G. O. P., but his calculations have been knocked away by the reinstatement of Abe Ruef, who is quite active in his dual capacity of leader of the Labor organization and boss of the Republican party. It is rather an anomalous position, but it fits Abe like a glove. Though Wynne might be acceptable to him in his capacity as Republican boss, he is decidedly persona non grata to the dictator of the Labor organization. So Congressman Wynne is out of the running. Abe is now engaged in building up a State machine, and to that end he is thinking of entering into a combination with the Hayek brothers of San Jose, who have a brother-in-law who would like to represent the Fifth district in Congress. The Hayek brothers hate Charley Shortridge, and Abe cannot do business with them without agreeing to sidetrack the Senator.—Town Talk.

A good story is told on Robert Ferral, now Assistant District Attorney. Years ago, when the Irish Land League was flourishing like a green bay tree, Bob Ferral, as he is familiarly known among old-timers, used to raise the rafters in Irish-American Hall the while he reviewed the many iniquities of the British Government, as practiced upon the Irish people. No man has shouted longer and louder for the freedom of Ireland than has Bob Ferral. In those days, so excited did he get that the veins stood out like whipcords on his neck and forehead, and his friends often feared that before he had damned England to his full satisfaction he would explode in an apoplectic fit. Upon one occasion he was assuring his hearers that he would stay with the fight until the sound of the last trumpet. "Gentlemen," he yelled, "let us all enlist in this holy cause. Ireland shall yet be free. To this cause I here devote my every energy, my every endeavor. My voice shall be ever heard raised in the cause of liberty. And if I should fall, you—let the day never come—but if I should fall, then, gentlemen, may this right arm"—and he extended it dramatically—"may this right arm—may this right arm cleave to the roof of my mouth."—News Letter.

The timber land cases have brought Francis J. Heney into prominence again. He appears as special counsel for the

SPLENDID SHOWING FOR BIRCH FUND.

Bell Amusement Company Turns in a Check for \$185.40.

The appeal which has been made to the people in behalf of Mrs. Ella Birch comes to a close this evening, save as regards the benefit which has been promised to the fund by Colonel Lubelski, proprietor of the cosy Novelty Theater, which will take place next Friday afternoon, at which time two performances will be given at the Novelty. The proceeds of these performances will be applied to the fund already raised by donations of sympathetic people and the exemplary liberality of the managements of Pex and the Bell theaters. The grand total will be welcome to the beneficiary and tide her over her ailment, destitution and bereavement. The following self-explanatory letter shows the excellent result of the efforts of the Bell Amusement Company:

"Bell Theater, Oakland, April 2. Tribune Publishing Company—Gentlemen: Enclosed herewith please find check covering the amount of money taken in at the benefit given at our theater Friday afternoon, April 1, to Mrs. Ella Birch. We extend thanks to yourselves, the merchants and the general public for their kind co-operation in this very worthy cause. Hoping that you will be successful in raising the amount you anticipate, we remain, very respectfully yours,

"THE BELL AMUSEMENT CO.

"P. S. Will send balance as soon as accounted for."

The check referred to above is for \$185.40, which has been deposited to the credit of the Birch fund. The Bell Amusement Company individually and collectively sold tickets, as did all their attaches, and among the most successful of the latter was James Brannan, who disposed of 215 cardboard seats. The latest contribution to the fund was

DR. FENNER'S Kidney AND Backache Cure

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations are FREE. I had severe case kidney disease and rheumatism, discharging bloody matter. Suffered intense pain. My wife was seriously afflicted with female trouble. Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure cured us both. Sold by Druggists, 50c. and \$1. Ask for Dr. Fenner's Almanac or Cook Book—Free.

"We have sold many dozens of Dr. Fenner's St. Vitus' Dance Specific and every case has been cured by it. It is a blessing. ALICE CLARK DRUG CO. A. K. O."

SEVEN PERSONS INJURED IN "AUTO" COLLISION

Car Wrecked, Buggy Reduced to Splinters, and One Victim, Miss Alice Day May Lose Her Life.

An automobile trip projected by George Whittell Jr., son of a San Francisco millionaire, which started across the bay and which was to have included a ride to Hayward, a dinner at that place and a moonlight journey back to the metropolis, terminated abruptly last night about 8:30 o'clock in a collision at the intersection of Hawley avenue and the San Leandro road, near the Darling ranch.

MAY HAVE FATAL ENDING. A buggy was reduced to splinters, the automobile was wrecked, seven persons were injured, and it is not at all improbable that death may end the suffering of one of the victims, Miss Alice Day of San Francisco, who is lying seriously injured in Fabiola Hospital.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE. It is considered almost miraculous that the seven persons in question were not all killed, because, in the collision, the automobile, while traveling with full power, struck from the rear a buggy going in the same direction and containing two women, scattering it in fragments, throwing out the women and then flying through the air itself for a distance of forty feet and overturning against the curb and burying the five occupants beneath it.

HASTEN TO RESCUE. As soon as possible the injured were cared for, those in the buggy being taken to Elmhurst and those in the automobile to Fruitvale.

THE VICTIMS. The passengers in the auto car were George Whittell Jr. and his chauffeur, whose name is unknown, who occupied the two front seats of the vehicle, and Billy Otis, a boxer, who, with Miss Alice Day and Miss Lois Henry occupied the three rear seats of the automobile, all of San Francisco.

The victims in the buggy were Miss Nancy Neal and Miss Harriet A. Neal, unmarried women who reside on Grand avenue, near the foothills, Elmhurst, aged respectively 30 and 55 years of age.

THE INJURIES. Whittell and Otis sustained badly sprained ankles, Miss Henry was badly shaken up and bruised, while Miss Day sustained a fracture of the right hip, a gash of several inches on the brow which required several stitches and internal injuries, the outcome of which cannot at this time be anticipated.

SISTERS UNCONSCIOUS. Miss Nancy Neal sustained a nervous shock and some painful bruises. Her sister Harriet suffered similarly with the addition of a fracture of the left collar bone. Both were thrown a number of feet through the air and became unconscious.

THROUGH ASSEMBLES. The crash of the collision brought a number of people to the scene who immediately set to work to rescue those who were beneath the automobile and to provide for the comfort of the Misses Neal. These latter women were placed on Car 151 of the Hayward line, in charge of Conductor or Batchelder and Motorman Grunbach and taken to Gray's drug store at Elmhurst. Dr. W. P. Lynch attended them, dressing Miss Harriet's fracture, and finally sending the sisters to their home on Grand avenue.

Messrs. Whittell, Otis and Misses Henry and Day were carried on a west-bound car in charge of Conductor Gus Lachuna and Motorman Fisher and taken to Warren's drug store at the corner of East Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue.

MISS DAY'S TREATMENT. Miss Day was unconscious and had to be borne into the store. Dr. J. H. Callen was summoned, but when he saw the young woman's condition, he decided to remove her to his home, several hundred feet away, at 1265 Fruitvale avenue. The doctor at Constable Carroll of Fruitvale started to carry the young woman thither but finally placed her in a carriage and drove her to the doctor's abode, where she

that of \$5 by F. F. Porter, dealer in realty.

It must be remembered that the fund from the Bell Theater was from the matinee only.

MAY BE CASE OF MURDER.

SANTA ROSA, April 2.—Considerable mystery attaches to the death of Frank Dach, an aged ranchhand, found dead in a lonely cabin near Bloomfield yesterday.

The coroner's jury found a verdict of death at the hands of a party or parties unknown, but Sheriff Grace, after visiting the scene and making an investigation, is strongly inclined to the suicide theory.

Dach told his employer a few days before that he had no money, although one of the pockets was cut from his trousers and two pockets in an overcoat hanging on the wall were turned inside out.

A man against whom some suspicion had been directed because he was missing was shown today to have disappeared several days before Dach's death.

GRAND JURY ISSUES SUBPOENAS.

The Grand Jury has issued subpoenas for the entire members of the Board of Supervisors to appear before them next Monday and it is intimated that certain expenditures at the County Infirmary and in the Court House have been called to the attention of the inquisitorial body and that the Board is to be called upon for an explanation.

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doctor did all that could be done to relieve her pain.

BACK TO THE WRECK. As soon as Miss Day was resting as calmly as could be expected, Whittell and Otis returned to the scene of the wreck and found the automobile surrounded by a curious throng and in charge of the chauffeur, who had been left for that purpose.

SURLY CHAUFFEUR. The chauffeur was asked by the people as to what had caused the accident, but refused to speak on the subject.

One man asked him the number of the automobile and he refused to reply that it was none of the inquirer's business.

Several of the bystanders then summoned Constable Craner of Elmhurst, who appeared on the scene and kept watch of events.

GOING TO REPAIR SHOP. When Whittell and Otis appeared at the wreck they found among the crowd E. R. Patterson, who runs a repair shop on the San Leandro road, about two miles west of the scene of the accident, and to him Whittell turned over the machine until further notice.

INJURED CAR. Patterson towed the wrecked car to his shop and spent two hours in the work because the steering device was crippled, the front axle was shifted, the sparking apparatus was ruined, the connections on the engine were twisted, the water-cooling appliance was battered and the sideboard, upholstery and backings were ruined. The repairs will cost several hundred dollars, but the machine had run about two years, but cost \$12,000 and was made in Paris.

BACK TO THE DOCTOR'S. After having disposed of the machine, Whittell and Otis returned to Dr. Callen's house, where a discussion was held as to what should be done with Miss Day.

It had been Whittell's intention to return to San Francisco last night, but it was then too late as the last train had gone.

Dr. Johnson, who resides at the Occident Hotel, San Francisco, was telephoned for, but could not be reached.

TO THE HOSPITAL. It was then decided to send Miss Day to Fabiola Hospital, at that decision was carried into effect at 3 o'clock this morning.

Messrs. Whittell and Otis and Miss Henry were taken to the city and returned to San Francisco this morning as their injuries were not such as to cause them inconvenience.

AS REGARDS THE CAUSE OF THE accident, there are conflicting reports. People along the Hayward road say that the automobile was being shot along at a speed of 40 miles an hour and that it was impossible for the driver, Whittell, to clear the Neal vehicle, which suddenly leaped up before the eyes of the car.

Whittell and Otis, on the other hand, declare the speed of the automobile did not exceed 10 miles an hour, the latter asserting that the car could not have exceeded because of the rough condition of the road. This latter statement causes the people along the road to smile because there is not a smoother road in the country than that where the accident happened.

MISS NEAL'S STORY. There seems to have been no witness to the causality, save the victims, and the Misses Neals' story will not shed light on the subject, because they admit they do not know how it happened. In speaking of Miss Nancy Neal, said to a TRIBUNE reporter:

"My sister and myself were returning home from Oakland and don't know what happened. I was sitting on the driver's side. I was driving. My sister was next to me. She was most hurt. I do not know what happened. When I came to, I was in the drug store."

Whittell declared he was at a loss to know what the machine was doing. "I didn't see the buggy until we were so close that I could not turn out," he said, "I suppose I must have suddenly turned the wheel in an involuntary way, and the way and the quick swerve upset the machine. I am mighty thankful things are no worse. No, I don't know much the machine is damaged."

He left the chauffeur put there with it and he will have the thing towed in tomorrow.

At last accounts, Miss Day was in a dangerous condition.

OFFICERS ARE ON THE TRIAL.

REDDING, April 2.—The mysterious clue on which officers have been working quietly in connection with an attempt to apprehend the Copley train robbers seems about to result in an arrest.

Railroad Detective O'Brien, Sheriff James Richardson and Deputy Sheriff W. A. Heeler and George Wylie have left for the north on a special locomotive. They refused to give out their destination, but it is believed to be either Keswick, Coplay or Kennett.

The officers did acknowledge, however, just before leaving that there may be an arrest of bandits before they return. The small posse is heavily armed.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

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Too Late for Classification

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UNIMPROVED. \$375—40x120; elevated lot; street work complete; close to schools, cars, etc. \$500—100x133; close to Santa Fe station and San Pablo ave.; will soon be worth \$1000. \$600—50x100; street work complete; close to Santa Fe and San Pablo trains; worth \$1000. \$700—35x100; very slightly location in Linda Vista Terrace district; street work complete; one block to Oakland ave. cars; fine view and surroundings. \$1000—32 1-2 x 132; on Vernon st.; Adams Point district; street work complete. \$1820—32x100; on Summit st.; slightly lot; almost surrounding; very choice bargain.

IMPROVED. \$2600—New colonial house; 6 rooms and bath; reception hall; exceptionally fine dining room; open plan; modern kitchen; close to schools, cars, etc. and cross-town Key Route to San Francisco; very easy terms. \$2750—House; 7 rooms; bath, laundry, etc.; on N. W. cor.; close to business center; schools, cars, etc.; owner wishes to sell, even at a sacrifice. \$3200—New colonial house; 8 rooms and bath; modern; lot 42x115; fine location and surroundings; will be sold on very easy terms.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS THE DEATH OF GIRL.

Remains of Katie Bessler Found in Lake in Cypress Lawn Cemetery.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The body of a young woman has been found in the small lake in Cypress Lawn Cemetery, San Mateo County.

The remains are supposed to be those of Katie Bessler, aged 12, who disappeared from her home in this city on March 22. It is not known whether she committed suicide or was the victim of foul play.

Katie Bessler lived at the home of S. Jenson, manager of the estate of the late John Thompson.

She called him grandfather and he had charge of her interests.

Each of his sons she called uncle.

On the day of her disappearance she left a note addressed to her "grandfather." It read:

"Dear Grandpa: Katie's last wish is that you write for her sister to come and get all of her things. Please do that, dear Grandpa."

The girl was last seen in the city at the Public Library, where she had gone to return a book after leaving the note for "Grandfather" Jenson.

Two theories were immediately advanced for her disappearance.

One that she had become deranged from overstudy and committed suicide; the other that she had encountered

WOMAN PLACED UNDER ARREST.

SHE IS ACCUSED OF BEING IMPLICATED IN LAND FRAUDS.

CHICAGO, April 2.—Mrs. Emma L. Watson of Portland, Or., was arrested today by officers of the Federal Secret Service on a charge of being implicated in land swindles in Oregon.

According to the officials, the government has been defrauded out of thousands of dollars by the operations of a gang of swindlers.

Mrs. Watson, who is alleged to be also known as Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Pater, was arrested after being traced from the Pacific Coast to Chicago.

It is charged that she was aided in her efforts to elude capture by S. A. D. Pater, an alleged member of the gang, who was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury at Portland, Or., in April, 1903, along with Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Marie Ware and Horace McKinley.

The hearing of the case was continued until Monday, the prisoner being held under \$7500 bonds.

BASEBALL.

AT LOS ANGELES.—First three innings.

Portland—0-0-0.

Los Angeles—0-0-1.

Batteries—Unger and Steelman; Baum and Spies. Umpire—O'Connell.

AT SAN FRANCISCO.—First inning: San Francisco—1.

Oakland—0.

Batteries—Jones and Leahy; Buchanan and Boettiger.

AT SAN FRANCISCO.—First two innings: San Francisco—1-0.

Oakland—0-0.

STANFORD IN THE LEAD.

BERKELEY, April 2.—In the first of the three innings of the intercollegiate baseball game which is being played on the University of California diamond this afternoon, the score stood 2 to 1 in favor of Stanford.

"He had a play produced by an amateur company the other night, I believe. Who was the hero of it, do you know?" "I was one. I sat through it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Struggle Over Second Delegate From Third District.

It looks as though there is going to be a lively contest in the Third District over the election of delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held in Chicago.

The Third Congressional District is entitled to two delegates.

It is conceded that George W. Reed of Oakland will be elected without opposition.

The other delegate will be selected from the northern part of the district.

Will Crooks of Benicia, State Senator Charles M. Eishaw of Antioch and Postmaster Luchsinger of Solano county will contest for the second delegate from this district.

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TODAY'S RACES.

EMERYVILLE, April 2.—The results of today's races were as follows:

FIRST RACE (Six Furlongs).

Pepet Me (Vanderbunt) 11 to 2.....1

St. Rios (Reed) 60 to 1.....2

Chickens (Crosswain) 6 to 1.....3

Time, 1:15.3.

Tonopah, Ullua, Waterpower, Jean Gravier, Seafarer, Watkins, Overton, and El Pilar also ran. Solinas and Kuseloff were scratched.

SECOND RACE (Six and a Half Furlongs).

Ocytohe (Crosswain) 2 to 1.....1

Col. Van (Bonner) 2 to 1.....2

St. Winifred (Sherwood) 5 to 1.....3

Time, 1:24.4.

George Berry, Hulford, Sweet Tooth, Solon, Gethemness and Ethel Abbott also ran.

Jungannon and Colonel Ballantyne were scratched.

THIRD RACE (Five and a Half Furlongs).

Gateway (Sawyer) 10 to 1.....1

Don Domo (Bonner) 7 to 10.....2

Annieas (Ollis) 8 to 1.....3

Time, 1:38.

H. L. Frank, Red Cross Nurse, and Young Pepper also ran.

A tumbled and Telephone were scratched.

FOURTH RACE (Futurity Course).

Sea Air was the winner.

PAY FOR LETTER CARRIERS.

BOARD OF TRADE TAKES ACTION IN THE MATTER.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade yesterday afternoon, action was taken upon the bill now pending before Congress to increase the salaries of letter carriers after the third year of service.

The pay of letter carriers in cities of the second class at the present time is \$500 for the first year of regular service, \$550 the second year and thereafter.

The salaries for the carriers in cities of the first class for the first year is \$600 and thereafter \$650. The bill now pending before Congress increases the salaries for the first year of regular service \$500, second year \$550, third year \$600, and thereafter \$650. This is a reduction of \$50 per year on the second year and an increase of \$50 per year for the third year and thereafter.

In cities of the first class there is added to the present salary bill a clause making the new grade \$1200 for the fourth year and thereafter. As statistics show letter carriers are obliged to serve as substitutes an average of three and one-half years before becoming regular carriers, it will be seen that a majority of the carriers serve six or more years before receiving the higher salaries.

Following in the justice of the bill now pending, the following telegram was being received from correspondents in Santo Domingo to the effect that the Morales Government is steadily gaining in power and influence in the island, and that the business interests have reached the condition that Morales is now strong enough to maintain a stable government for some time to come.

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WASHINGTON, April 2.—Prince Jaime de Bourbon, son of Don Carlos, the Pretender to the throne of Spain, has gone to the Far East.

WILL NOT TAKE THREE SUDDEN DEATHS.

OFFICE.

R. H. CHAMBERLAIN COMPLETES TERM AS PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF TRADE.

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Mr. Chamberlain has addressed to the committee the following communication:

Sol Kahn, Chairman Nominating Committee Oakland Board of Trade—Dear Mr. Kahn: While I have, of course, no knowledge as to what names your committee will consider for nomination as directors of the board for the ensuing year, it may simplify your labors and be not out of place for me to say that I do not desire to be re-nominated for any office at the following election.

"I have served the board as a director for the past three years and for the past year entire estate valued at about \$2500. To Father Peter C. Yorke of St. Anthony's parish, with the exception of a few legacies. In his will he states that he intentionally omits making mention of any other relatives.

The bequests are as follows: To the rector of St. Anthony's Church of East Oakland, in trust for the use and benefit of the Sisters of Mercy, the sum of \$100 for masses for the repose of the souls of my deceased wife and myself, and to the Rev. Peter C. Yorke all the rest, residue and remainder of my property.

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PRESIDENT WHEELER WOULD DECLINE.

BERKELEY, April 2.—According to a dispatch from Chicago, President Benjamin H. Wheeler is considered the most likely candidate for president of the University of Illinois, to succeed President Draper. The Regent's want Wheeler for the place. President Wheeler says:

"I have not heard a word of the contemplated action of the Regents of the University of Illinois and, therefore, would rather not discuss the report. I do not want to be put in the position of declining or accepting a position that has not been offered to me."

It is said Wheeler would not accept such an offer.

STRIKE AT PANAMA.

PANAMA, April 2.—A meeting of the leaders of the railroad laborers' strike was held last night at which the result of the interview of the four delegates with President Amador yesterday was heard, the substance being that the committee agreed to wait the arrival of the Canal Commissioners before taking any further steps.

EXCITING SCENE IN PARIS COURT.

PARIS, April 2.—An exciting scene occurred today before the criminal chamber which is investigating the Dreyfus case.

Colonel Du Paty de Clam said he had an analytical summary of the secret documents submitted to the court-martial which condemned Dreyfus. Attorney General Baudouin thereupon demanded the submission of the summary to the criminal chamber and the Colonel asked for time to consider the matter. The Attorney General then announced that if the document was not submitted he would prosecute Colonel Du Paty de Clam for illegal detention of State papers. The witness asked for time to consult with General Mercier, the former War Minister, to which the Attorney General replied that General Mercier would also be prosecuted in the same charge, if the document was not submitted. The analysis finally was turned over to the chamber.

QUEEN WILL GO ON A TRIP.

THE HAGUE, April 2.—Queen Wilhelmina and her husband, Prince Henry, will start April 4 for Italy, where they will spend a month for the benefit of the Queen's health.

CAR OFF TRACK.

The east bound Twelfth street car, due at Broadway at 2 p. m., ran off the track while at full speed and dashing into the sidewalk of the Advent Church, smashing things generally. The passengers were considerably shaken, but otherwise, no damage was done.

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"I have served the board as a director for the past three years and for the past year entire estate valued at about \$2500. To Father Peter C. Yorke of St. Anthony's parish, with the exception of a few legacies. In his will he states that he intentionally omits making mention of any other relatives.

The bequests are as follows: To the rector of St. Anthony's Church of East Oakland, in trust for the use and benefit of the Sisters of Mercy, the sum of \$100 for masses for the repose of the souls of my deceased wife and myself, and to the Rev. Peter C. Yorke all the rest, residue and remainder of my property.

The estate consists of cash in the Oakland Bank of Savings. The deceased was 78 years of age.

RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW

Six furlongs, three-year-olds, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

SECOND RACE.

Half mile, two-year-olds, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

THIRD RACE.

Futurity course, four-year-olds and up, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

FOURTH RACE.

One and one-sixteenth miles, four-year-olds and up, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

FIFTH RACE.

One and one-eighth miles, four-year-olds and up, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

SIXTH RACE.

One mile and fifty yards, three-year-olds and up, selling.

5891 Nell Sullivan 102

5892 Mildred B 102

5893 Mary Pepper 102

5894 Jack Little 102

5895 Lady Atheling 102

5896 Dungenham 102

5897 Homerville 102

5898 North West 102

5899 Foxy Grandpa 102

5900 Ducky Miller 102

5901 Emil 102

5902 Zetoulina 102

5903 Florida Belle 102

5904 County Down 102

5905 Nora 102

FOUND HER JEWELS.

CHICAGO, April 2.—The first trace of Mrs. John C. Burns since her disappearance from a Chicago hotel two years ago was found today when James Taylor, 42, was arrested in Cincinnati. He had in his possession Mrs. Burns' daughter of the American Revolution pin, engraved with her name, as well as several articles of jewelry, all of which bore her initials. The prisoner is said to have disclosed the hiding place of other jewels, which are alleged to have been the property of Mrs. Burns. The total value of the property recovered is nearly \$5000.

About two years ago Mrs. Burns announced that she was going away on a short visit. Her husband was believed to have been in Europe. Taking several trunks, Mrs. Burns left the hotel, and giving instructions to hold her mail until she sent her forwarding address. From that day to this no word has been received from her or her husband.

Mrs. Burns was a prominent member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and also was connected with several women's clubs.

PAYNE'S STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—At the request of Postmaster-General Payne, Chairman McCall, Representatives Richardson of Alabama and Bartlett of Maryland, went to the Arlington Hotel today and discussed with the Postmaster-General all the special reports involving members of Congress in cases of clerk hire and leases of third and fourth class Postoffice.

Payne had prepared a statement which he wished to be read into the record of the committee and after final revision will be made public.

SACRAMENTO, April 2.—Governor Pardee today issued a commutation of the sentence of Charles Taylor, a negro who has been confined in the State penitentiary at Folsom since 1886. Taylor was sentenced from Oroville for burglary to forty-two years. His sentence was commuted by the Governor on the ground that it was excessive.

Some grocers sell Schilling's Best.

Best moneyback; some don't.

They have their reasons both ways.

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR



ROYAL BAKING POWDER

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH

GUARDIAN IS NAMED FOR EDWARD THOMPSON.

Sister Declares That People Are Trying to Break Into Her Home.

As the outcome of his usual nocturnal visits to the home of Dr. Harry Carlton, Edward Thompson has been adjudged insane and today James Rankin was appointed his guardian by Judge Ellsworth with bonds fixed at \$4000. Thompson is to be placed in a private sanitarium at Fruitvale.

Mrs. Sarah M. Thompson, his mother, and Lucy T. Thompson, the sister of the patient, were both present in court this morning and answered certain questions in regard to the property rights of Thompson but owing to transfers of stock back and forth between them, Judge Ellsworth stated at the end of the examination that he was unable to disentangle the matter or to find out that Thompson had any money of his own.

The examination today of the mother and sister showed that they were not mentally competent to manage their own affairs and that the entire family of mother, brother and sister have been living in the midst of imaginary alarms in a house where "ghosts" walk over the roof of which the "neighbors" run at night like the "clim goblins" in a "Mid-Summer Night's Dream."

The sister stated today that the putty had been picked out of the window casings at night and the marks of diamond scratches on the panes showed them that efforts had been made to effect an entrance to the home.

A real estate man came in for a scorching at the hands of Mrs. Thompson who she said was a "sharp" and had taken advantage of Thompson's weakness of mind and had sold him a piece of land at Delger and Twentieth streets. The property was sold to him for \$3,500 by young Thompson and she stated that it was worth between \$12,000 and \$15,000. Part of this land was the property of Thompson and part of it belonged to his sister but he sold it all and gave her all the money. This money was afterwards invested in sugar stock by Miss Thompson and now lies safely deposited in a box in the safe deposit vaults in San Francisco. It may be necessary before the proceedings are over with to make an inspection of that box and see how much it contains. It is intimated that there are hundreds of thousands there.

A sudden change was made in the program by Attorney Chapman, the Court and J. A. O. Macdonald in the guardianship proceedings and instead of Macdonald being appointed, Attorney John McVay filed a petition at the request of the mother and daughter to have James Rankin appointed. Macdonald is a cousin of the Thompsons and it was feared by the mother and sister that he was in favor of placing Thompson in a public institution. Macdonald, however, did not want the position and withdrew in favor of Rankin. Before appointing Rankin, Judge Ellsworth intimated that legal proceedings might be necessary in order to fix Thompson's share of the money now held by the mother and sister and asked Rankin if he would be willing to take such action and he said he would.

"If it can be shown that he was mentally incompetent to give the money to his mother and sister you may have to take steps to get it back again. Are you willing to do this?" asked the judge of Rankin. He answered in the affirmative and the appointment was made.

After Thompson had made the sale of the land in question, he started on a trip through Europe in order to get away from his enemies. He stated he put everything in their name and traveled for months. He gave them everything so that in case he died there would be no probate proceedings.

What the estate is worth no one can say and they are afraid to tell for fear of being "ghosted" by the reason that it may become noised abroad and are therefore reticent. When the elder Thompson died three years ago he was reputed to be a millionaire and it is said that the quiet way in which the family has lived has served to increase the fortune left.

Thompson will not be finally discharged from the Receiving Hospital until Monday as Judge Ordeu continued the matter for one week in his department and the appointment of the guardian today is a distinct matter from the examination for insanity made before him.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE

Consumers' Mutual Supply Company Under Different Management.

Today the management of the local branch, Consumers' Mutual Supply Company, the large concern of Sacramento which manufactures pure ice and distilled water, as well as being general State agents for Olympia Beer, has been turned over to Messrs. Reed and Bell.

Reed, J. T. Reed, who is one of the most able salesmen in the country, was for sixteen months general manager of the Columbia Mercantile Company, and has great ability to manage large concerns. His record in syrup manufacturing in New Orleans has been without an equal. He is an expert chemist and all around practical business man. Mr. T. Fred Bell is a well known San Francisco capitalist, who lately inherited considerable money. Mr. Bell has been looking into the possibilities of Alameda county as a virgin field for mercantile enterprises and is satisfied that this line of business offers rare inducements. This new company will have the exclusive agency in Alameda county for pure distilled water and crystal ice, as well as Olympia Beer—that peerless beer made in Washington.

Three carloads of ice per week is shipped here even in the winter season, and the spring and summer trade will amply treble the amount.

The company's office is First and Broadway.

REPORTERS HALTED.

NEW CHWANG, April 2.—The authorities here were considerably aroused today by the arrival of a press boat, indiscreetly bearing two Japanese servants, who were arrested and probably will not be released for several weeks.

On account of the fact that the Russians have not yet arranged the local status of correspondents, such indiscretions are apt to be interpreted as indicating co-operation with interests inimical to Russia, which may be inspiring erroneous conceptions of the situation in the minds of the war correspondents. The entire crew and staff of the press boat are under surveillance and the vessel must leave on the first favorable tide.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 2.—The Emperor and all the members of the Imperial family last night attended a concert given by the massed bands of St. Petersburg.

This was the first time the Emperor

DIED.

DEARY.—In this city, April 2, 1904, Maurice Edwin, beloved son of Luella Deary and brother of Mary E. Deary, R. Lucia R. Hazel S. Deary and Mrs. Charles Schilling of San Francisco, a native of England, aged 54 years, 1 month and 13 days.

Funeral Monday, April 4, from his late residence, 2004 Fifth street, at 2 p. m. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery. Strictly private.

WORK.—In this city, April 2, 1904, John Work, wife of J. W. Work and mother of Mrs. H. F. Wichman of Honolulu, H. I.

Funeral services and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Sunday, April 3, at 2 o'clock, from the residence, the First Congregational Church, Oakland. Interment, Mount View Cemetery.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Cordelia Ellen Gurnett, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Cordelia Ellen Gurnett, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, with the will annexed, at the office of Messrs. Reed and Nussbaum, Attorneys at Law, 922 Broadway, Oakland, California.

Dated, Oakland, April 2nd, 1904.

REED AND NUSSBAUM, Attorneys at Law, 922 Broadway, Oakland, California.

Commercial Accounts

Every person who receives or pays out money should have a Commercial Account, and draw checks against it, for it is safer and more convenient to make payments by check than to use cash.

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The Effort to Protect the Wine Industry

The Stockton Mail says Charles A. Wetmore speaks, in opposing the pure wine bill, for the San Joaquin County Viticultural Association. We are sorry for that organization.

Our Stockton contemporary says THE TRIBUNE is interested in the pure wine bill "for some occult reason." If the Mail's trick of seeing ghosts and starting at scarecrows of its own erection were not so well known, we might take this as an offensive insinuation; but being lenient of natural infirmities we let that pass. All the interest THE TRIBUNE has in the pure wine bill is the general interest it takes in the welfare of the legitimate wine industry of California, in which Alameda county is vitally interested. This county is one of the largest wine producers in the State, and the quality of its wines is acknowledged to be superior. We merely desire to stop the sale of imitations and spurious wines under false labels in order that the legitimate product of California vineyards may be freed from unjust and dishonest competition, and the wines of this State permitted to stand in the market on their own merits. We believe the Mail is actuated by the same desire, but is predisposed to find fault and to having dreams and seeing visions. In this respect its editorial sanctum is a sort of Isle of Patmos, from which bursts with seven heads and ten horns are always visible.

As to the assertion of Mr. Wetmore that the pure wine bill was framed in the interest of the wine trust, we can do no better than quote from the Sacramento Bee on the subject:

"The chief objection that has been made to the Bill is that it imposes a tax upon pure wine as well as upon that which is adulterated. The explanation is that in order to bring the manufacture of all kinds of wine under the control of the Internal Revenue Department, and also to make the desired measure constitutional, it was found needful to place a nominal tax upon pure wine. This tax, however, is so light it would be no burden to the makers of pure wine, and the benefits they would receive from the imposition of the prohibitive taxes laid by this measure upon adulterated or spurious wine would far more than compensate them for the slight revenue derived by the government from the taxation of pure wine. A like plan has been adopted successfully with relation to oleomargarine, for the protection of the dairy interests and the public. The uncolored butter substitute escapes with but a nominal tax, while that which is tinted to resemble fresh butter must pay a heavy tax that is practically prohibitive.

"It was explained at the meeting on Saturday last by Professor E. H. Twight of Berkeley that the chief object of the measure was to put a stop to the practice—much, he said, was more common in the East than in California—of fermenting pomace. After the grape juice has been pressed from the pulp many winemakers have added water and sugar to the mass and again run it through the wine press, coloring the resulting wash with chemicals. Sometimes this process was repeated. Professor Twight expressed the opinion that the Bill would accomplish the object intended, and also prevent the use of antiseptics, such as salicylic and boric acid to prevent re-fermentation.

"After the subject had been fully discussed the matter was referred to a committee, which was instructed to correspond with Congressman Bell on the subject and represent the interests and views of the California grape growers."

The Mail says, "whenever Mr. Bell amends his bill so that it will make independent winemaking a practical impossibility, the grape growers of San Joaquin county will support it." Having shown that the bill did not originate with Mr. Bell or the wine trust, but with a convention of independent grape growers that assembled at Napa, it is hardly necessary to point out that the amendments demanded by Mr. Wetmore, who seems a sort of pastor emeritus to the wine industry of San Joaquin county, would make the bill unconstitutional and void. Whether lack of good faith or lack of good sense prompts these demands we will not undertake to say, but the folly of enacting legislation that the courts will immediately nullify is apparent. We give Mr. Bell credit for desiring to benefit and protect the legitimate wine industry of the whole country, and we are confident that he is willing to make any practicable changes in the proposed measure that will unify the wine interests. But to ask him to rob the bill of potency and effect is to ask him to give up the whole fight and allow the situation to stand as it is.

The Muck of the Devil Wagon

The public peril that results from the reckless speeding of automobiles along the most traveled streets and highways calls for drastic treatment. If only the lives of the automobilists were threatened by their reckless defiance of the law and sensible precaution, the public would be little concerned—a little neck-breaking in that direction would be viewed with entire equanimity.

But, unfortunately, the automobile riders are far more dangerous to others than to themselves. They seek the crowded thoroughfares to exhibit the speed of their machines and their defiant disregard of laws and ordinances restricting the speed of their vehicles. Not infrequently their recklessness is fired by alcohol, which adds to the peril of the furious speeding.

It is not an uncommon sight to see an automobile dash at furious speed right through a crowd, often composed of women and children who are compelled to scatter at a run, like a covey of quail before a swooping hawk, to escape being run over by the devil wagon. Some automobilists make a practice of turning a corner where people are waiting for a car as close to the curb as possible, "just to give the folks a scare." In such cases the slightest veer of the machine would cause a terrible "accident." It would be called an accident, of course, but it would be an accident directly ascribable to recklessness and the spirit of mischief.

The city ordinance restricting the speed of automobiles is habitually violated—and with apparent impunity. Policemen unconcernedly watch automobiles dash by electric cars running up to the full legal limit of speed as if the cars were stationary. Such oculary demonstrations of illegal speeding are to be witnessed every day. Indeed, the speed ordinance is treated with the same open contempt with which the bicycle ordinance is treated. The police seem to think their duty is fulfilled if they can manage to escape being run over by automobiles and bicycles.

On the county road between Oakland and Hayward the reckless driving of automobiles is conspicuous. The roadhouse with its grogshop attachment stimulates the dangerous speeding and adds to its peril. No pretense is made of observing the speed ordinance—or of enforcing it.

"The public be d—d." It will continue to be d—d—and run over—as long as it lacks the energy and courage to protect itself from fellows who have no regard for the law or for the rights of others.

As the Russians are doing no leading it is difficult to see why the Japs should be doing so much "flocking."

The Easter hat for women comes exceedingly high this year, but the men can console themselves with the reflection that buck beer will still be sold for a nickel a throw.

Senator Burton should have pleaded Senatorial privilege before he was convicted. The spectacle of a convicted bribe-taker sitting in the Senate and voting to make laws will not be a pleasant one, and the Senate should not permit it if Burton should have the hardihood to attempt the exhibition. Burton ought to be suspended if nothing more pending the final adjudication of his case.

An Easter Festival for Oakland

Easter is symbolical of new life, the discarding of the dead things of the past and the taking on of a better and higher form of existence. In physical nature it is emblematic of a return of the season of growth, of flower and fruitage. What Easter means to the religious mind it also means in a material sense to the husbandman who sees with its coming his orchards put forth leaf and blossom and his flocks answering the decree of the Almighty to multiply. In the idea of rising anew to a position of greater glory, there is something in the Easter festival that should be an inspiration to the people of Oakland apart from its religious significance. It is an appeal to us to make ourselves and our city worthy of better things. Let us have an Easter for Oakland, a day that will mark the beginning of a new life for our city. Let the day on which the bonds for municipal improvements are voted for be that Easter. On that day let every citizen go to the polls, as he would to church, resolved to be an actor and a factor in the regenerative movement. Let that day be made memorable as the day on which Oakland shook off the grave clothes of a dead past and began the shining ascent to a higher and nobler destiny. Let the offerings on that Easter be votes in favor of progress and the beautification of the city.

Metcalf for Postmaster General

The dispatches from Washington continue to indicate that the President has Hon. Victor H. Metcalf under serious consideration for the Postoffice portfolio. Postmaster-General Payne is so broken in health that his early retirement from the Cabinet is almost a certainty, and the President is strongly disposed to name a Pacific Coast man as his successor. Custom, however, demands that a Cabinet appointee shall have practically the united endorsement of the Congressional delegation of his party from his own State. Mr. Metcalf ought to have this without question.

In the past factional differences have prevented more than one Californian from taking a seat in the Cabinet. We have thus lost advantages that we might have gained but for our failure to agree. The lesson of this should be learned by this time. Fortunately, Mr. Metcalf is not identified with factional controversy in the party. He has always been a pacifist rather than a disturber, and has always shown a disposition to give due recognition to all factions of the party. He is opposed to proscription and is adverse to personal and factional contention. It ought to be easy for the Republicans of California to unite in urging him for a seat in the Cabinet.

It will scarcely be denied by anyone that Mr. Metcalf possesses the qualifications required in a Cabinet officer. His marked ability, high character and diplomatic tact are unquestioned. Added to these necessary qualifications he possesses dignity, energy and experience. He is admirably fitted for executive work. The President would find him a wise counselor, a loyal confidant and an energetic official. It would be a great honor to California for him to be given a seat in the Cabinet. The Third District would be exceedingly loth to lose him as a Representative, but the vast majority of its citizens would be sincerely pleased to see Mr. Metcalf advanced to a position of greater dignity and responsibility. The President would make no mistake in appointing him Postmaster-General in case of General Payne's retirement.

Paraphrasing Dr. Parkhurst, Colorado seems to be hell with the lid half off.

The row in the Democratic ranks proves the correctness of Old Captain Patrick's thesis that the Democratic party is a fighting party. The only time it is for peace is when the country is at war with a foreign nation.

The Mississippi Republicans have been holding a State convention. The Democrats don't object to their doing that so long as they don't attempt to vote. There the line is drawn.

The lime dealers of Sacramento will not sell to anybody but members of the Contractors' Association of that city, hence all building operations in that city are suspended till the Trades Council and the Contractors' Association arrange their differences. "The public be d—d" appears to be the governing sentiment of both sides to the quarrel. It has come to an extraordinary pass when building materials cannot be bought by persons desiring to build or persons desiring to contract to build. Here is an example of a trade boycott that combines the worst features of the trust with the principle of proscription. By and by, it will be necessary for the public to do something to protect itself from the tyranny and exactions of middlemen who lay an embargo on construction and trade.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

Hints for the Ladies.

"Your daughter seems to play con amore," said Mrs. Oldcastle.

"Yes. That's Josiah's favorite piece, but I like 'Hawatha' better."—Chicago Record-Herald.

I got a whole lot of faith in my fellow man, but all de same I don't lak 't see Brudder Simpson put his thumb so fah down on de inside of de collection basket, Mistah Jackson.—Baltimore News.

Harvey—I touched pop for twenty today to buy a camera. Think I'll touch him again to-morrow to get some plates.

Harold—Better be careful, old chap. Retouching is not always so easy in photography.—Chicago News.

POSSESSION.

"He is worth a hundred millions, the most of which he stole."

"Gracious! And he belongs to the church?"

"Oh, no, the church belongs to him."

—Puck.

BARNYARD OBSERVATION.

Mr. Turkey—"The farmer's wife said I was getting fat."

Mrs. Turkey—"How vulgar! She calls it 'embonpoint' in herself.—Puck.

"Didn't you feel like killing the waiter when he stood up for a tip?"

"Yes. I felt like giving him no quarter."—Cornell Widow.

HORRID WAR.

Mrs. Highmore—"Isn't war a dreadful thing?"

Mrs. Gaswell—"It's perfectly horrid. The papers were so full of it this morning that they only had room for five or six lines about my party last night."—Chicago Tribune.

CLOSE ENOUGH.

"Did you say that man in the kitchen with you last night is a relative, Norah?"

"Yes, mum."

"He didn't look like a close one, Norah."

"Oh, well, mum, you should have seen him before you opened the door!"—Yonkers Statesman.

ONE BIG VIRTUE.

Citizian—"How's your new servant girl?"

Subbubs—"She must be a hard drinker, or a kleptomaniac, or something even more terrible."

Citizian—"Gracious! Why?"

Subbubs—"Because she's a splendid cook.—Catholic Standard and Times.

FOLIED.

"Yes, she tried to find out how much money her husband had in the bank."

"And did she learn?"

"No, indeed. They wouldn't let the bank teller."—Judge.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION.

Oh, Russia, pause before you start to write a bloody story!

Be sure you have no Austriavich to celebrate the glory.

And fair Japan, before you war, within your land of beauty,

Take care no Kiplingura lurks To point you out your duty.

—New York Sun.

Now that New England has had an earthquake and California a wind-storm each knows something about the climatic peculiarities of the other.—Stockton Record.

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Chips From Other Blocks

The girls in a corset factory at Aurora, Ill., have struck. It is a matter of good form, although the girls will be very tightly pressed during the contest.—Stockton Record.

A little of the surplus energy of the postoffice department might be expended to good advantage in keeping poisoned candy out of the mails.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Mr. Sully had plenty of warning against get-rich-quick schemes.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Must Port Arthur fall in the war bulletins 90 times before it stays fallen?—New York Tribune.

Now is the time to plow the candidates who go out to farm the farmers.—Atlanta Constitution.

In spite of G. Fred Williams, the Boston meeting in honor of the checkbook candidate for the Presidency was as chilly as one of the snowy spring days.—New York Evening Sun.

As the people in Chicago felt that they could not get all they wanted to drink by midnight, an ordinance has been passed permitting the saloons to remain open until 1 o'clock in the morning.—Philadelphia Press.

That Mexican bull that killed the matador did like a hero himself. A few such instances and the business would be deeply discouraged.—Buffalo News.

A rise in what is left of the Northern Securities stock to 25 on the curb yesterday is interesting in comparison with recent sales below par. Mergers "got used to" being killed as eels got used to being skinned.—New York World.

Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, recommends apples for building up of moral and intellectual strength. In Pennsylvania the fruit of the plum tree is preferred.—Philadelphia Press.

Young Mr. Rockefeller advises young men to watch the small opportunities. But by the time the trusts get through with opportunities they are too small for any young man to see with the naked eye.—Baltimore American.

Assistant Postmaster General Bristol has 30,000 employees under him, and about 200 Congressmen on top of him.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

How to Ward Off an Attack of Rheumatism.

"For years when spring time came on and I went into gardening, I was sure to have an attack of rheumatism and every attack was more severe than the preceding one," says Josie McDonald, of Men, Logan county, West Va. "I tried everything with no relief whatever. Correll I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and the first application gave me ease, and before the first bottle was used I felt like a new person. Now I feel that I am cured, but I always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, and when I feel any symptoms of a return I soon drive it away with one or two applications of this liniment." For sale by Osgood Bros., Seventh and Broadway streets.

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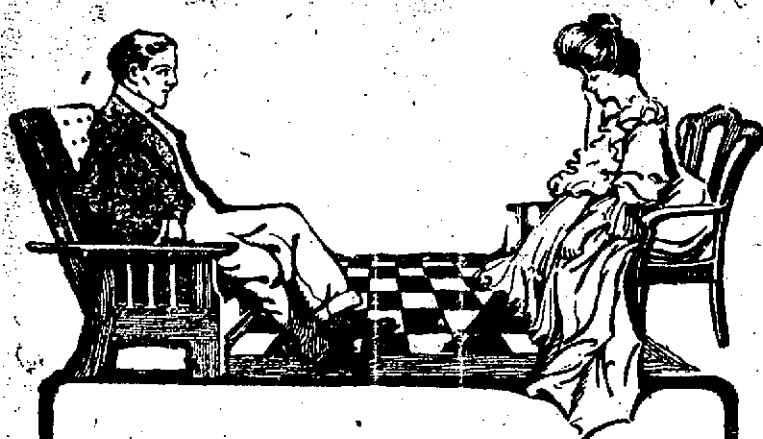
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MISS LOTTA A. JENCKS.

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Lotta A. Jencks of East Oakland to W. D. Cole of San Francisco, and the date for the wedding, marks the culmination of a romantic affair that had its inception some five years ago.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war Mr. Cole graduated from Draughton's College, Nashville, Tenn., and with several others of the graduating class enlisted in the service of Uncle Sam. The regiment for which they were detailed was the third artillery, but made such a glorious record in the Philippines and in China.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mrs. Emily A. Jencks and the late J. H.

Jencks of Oakland, and is an accomplished young lady, having graduated with high honors from the Oakland High School, the State Normal School at San Francisco and after a course of study at the State University at Berkeley, taught in the schools of Oakland. Miss Jencks is also a violinist of rare ability. Mr. Cole holds the position of bookkeeper for the Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association of San Francisco.

After the marriage ceremony the bride and groom will pass their honeymoon on an extended tour of the northern part of the State, returning to make their home at 1639 Twenty-first avenue, East Oakland.

SCAVENGERS TO BE ARRESTED.

PACIFIC INCINERATING COMPANY SIGNS WARRANTS.

Warrants for the arrest of fifteen scavengers were issued this afternoon. They are to be arrested at the instance of the Pacific Incinerating Company to force the matter of the collection of garbage to an issue. The scavengers are continuing to collect the refuse of the city despite the ordinance to the contrary. The Board of Health has taken the matter in hand and will also assist in the enforcement of the ordinance.

SPORTING NOTES.

Gebhard handicap today at Emeryville track.

California plays Stanford this afternoon.

Hounds course at Union Park tomorrow.

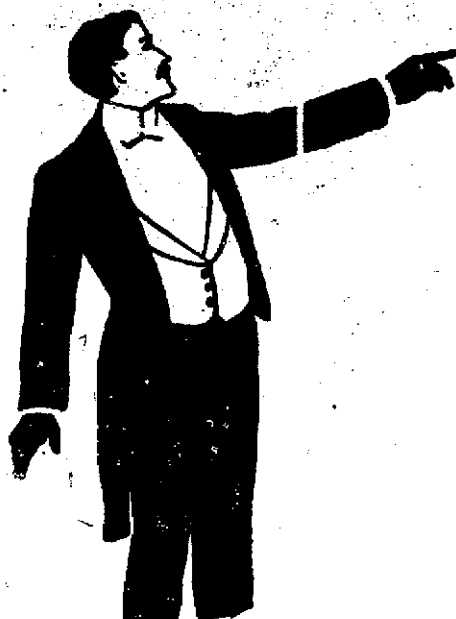
San Francisco lost to Oakland yesterday with score 4 to 2.

Forty-eight-dog open stake will be run off tomorrow at Ingleside.

Twin Sullivan refused to fight Hugo Kelly at Kansas City yesterday on account of it being good Friday. They will meet tonight.

Merrill and Kelton challenge the winners of the bowling contest rolled last night on the Syndicate alleys between Spegal and Bequest and Kinn and De Poyser.

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CANVAS EMBROIDERY.

An old craze in the fancywork line, which is called new, is canvas embroidery, but it is really one of the oldest feminine occupations. There is a difference, however, in the kinds of materials used and the result produced, although the principle remains the same. In the old days, when this work was popular, there was only one kind of canvas to select from, and yarn was used exclusively for working the patterns. Nowadays, there are all sorts of canvas weaves and as many beautiful colored silks, linens or cottons to choose from, so when finished the embroidered patterns appear much more workmanlike.

A bedroom set designed for a summer cottage was daintily enough to use in a spare room. The set consisted of bedspread, shams, dresser, commode and table scarf and one pillow. The work was done on a coarse weave of cream linen, which resembled scrim, and on which a pattern had first been stamped in a conventional design of fleur de lis. The center of the bedspread had a mass of the fleur de lis, while the border was conventional and caught together with a bow knot design, all done in yellow silk.

The pattern was first darning, and when finished the edge of each blossom was worked in a double cross-stitch design, covering two threads of the canvas each way. This made it stand out distinctly from the background, giving it a raised appearance. The edge of the spread was scalloped and buttonhole stitched with the yellow silk.

The mosaic embroidery is also done on canvas, which comes in little squares. An artistic and useful toilet mat for a bathroom was done in a heavy blue and white linen thread. The center pattern was in a diamond design. When finished, each side of the cloth was starred with white, and vice versa. The edge of the mat was hemmed, and it was lined with felt.

WHEN GILL WENT WRONG.

A newspaper correspondent here was chatting with ex-Representative Gill, of Ohio, when the latter said something in an indistinct voice which the correspondent thought was a reference to "Charlie" Landis, the Indiana Congressman.

"Yes," said the correspondent, "Charlie Landis is a very nice fellow. So is his brother, Fred Landis; not Kene-saw, you know, but Fred." Speaking of Fred Landis reminds me—

Mr. Gill upraised his voice in tones of naughty scorn. "I did not say Charlie Landis," he said in icy tones. "I said Coriolanus—he who as the classics tell us, was called from the plow to the helm of state."

The correspondent sublimely and slunk abjectly out of the room.

When the correspondent told this story to his colleagues one of them said: "The joke was not on you, but on this naughty man Gill. It was Coriolanus who was called from the plow, not Coriolanus."

"The idea of Gill not knowing that!" exclaimed the correspondent indignantly. "And he comes from Ohio, too!"—Washington Telegram to the New York World.

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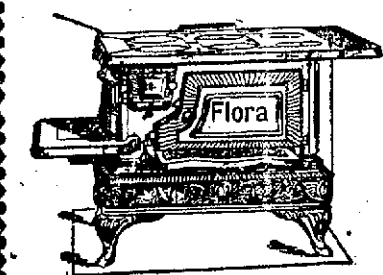
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Senator Frye came out. Mr. Jones introduced himself. "I am Jones of Binghamton," he said.

"I am glad to see you, Mr. Jones of Binghamton," Senator Frye replied, "but I do not understand the message on your card. Were you ever vice-president of the United States?"

"Oh, no."

"Were you ever president pro tem of the Senate?"

"No," said Jones, "but I occupied your chair just the same. I was colonel of the Sixth Massachusetts and one night in April, 1861, we arrived in Washington and bivouacked in the Senate chamber. My men slept on the floor, but I slept in the Vice-President's chair."—Washington Telegram to the New York World.

representing the local Y. M. C. A. left for San Jose today to meet the Y. M. C. A. team there.

The California Yacht Club will hold a meeting tomorrow.

Kid Herman is looking for some of the top notchers.

Billy Woods is hard at work at Link Dennis' gymnasium in West Oakland.

George Mahoney of the Reliance Athletic Club is after a match for Rufe Turner, his protégé.

Jockey Mountain is not lining up to the reputation which he brought with him to the Emeryville track.

The racing season at the track will close May 14.

Rube Smith is ready to meet some of the good ones. He wants to box in the main event. Communications should be addressed to George Mahoney at the Reliance Club.

Oakland's baseball club stands third in the list so far this season. The aggregation is strong and is looked upon to win the pennant.

The Oakland Revolver Club holds its regular Saturday night tonight on their range, 412 Fourteenth street.

A benefit will soon be given in Boston by the personal friends and admirers of John L. Sullivan who is seriously ill at his home in Roxbury, Mass.

A match may soon be arranged between Billy Woods and Dave Barry and will probably be pulled off in Honolulu.

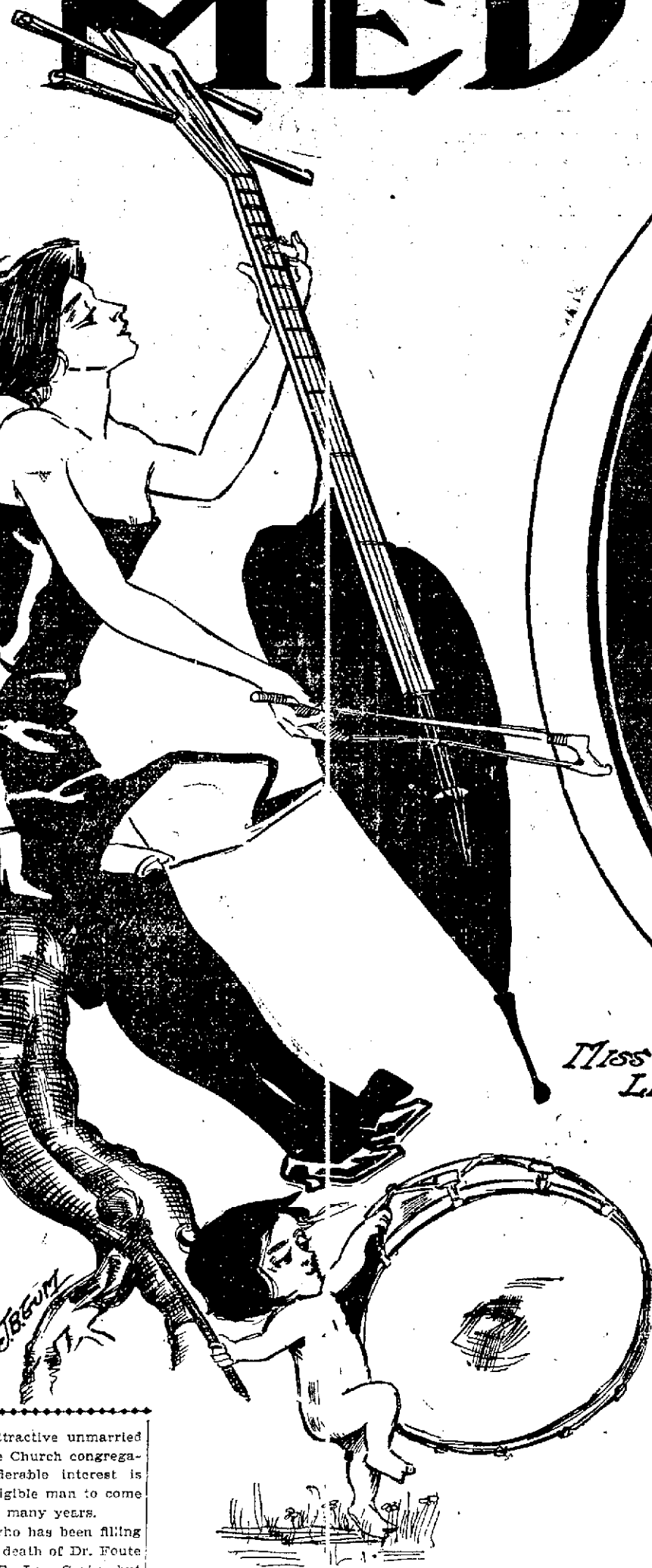
Walter Clarkson, brother of the famous baseball player, John Clarkson, may soon enter the professional ranks. He has received offers from Chicago and Detroit but favors the last named place.

Barney Schreiber's Pinkerton will start today in the Gebhard handicap and will carry top weight of 118.

Eagle Babies won from Piedmont last night in series by 96 pins.

The Americans will bowl the Buffaloes next Wednesday, April 6, at 8 p. m. on the Syndicate alleys. Return match.

THE MEDDLER



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HOLY WEEK WELL KEPT.

The dullest week of the year, socially, dear people, so you must pardon the shortest letter of the year from me, for really, I am not precisely a spider, able to weave a web out of my own inner consciousness. If none of you do anything interesting, how can you expect me to tell you about what does not happen? Even the evangelists' churches have been paying some attention to Holy Week this year and there have been many week-day services.

But in spite of this there seem to be enough Congregationalists or Presbyterians or non-church-going folk generally of respectable men to fill the theatres for I've been told that Mrs. Fiske's audiences have been large all this week—much larger than last in fact.

Her performance of Hedda Gabler is wonderful, they say, but as I'm not going until tonight you will have to wait until later for a report from me. She is a marvellously versatile woman.

On Monday night Mrs. Fiske has a very fashionable audience with a number of theatre parties and very hot taken. Oddly enough, men as well as women seem to be enjoying the performance of Ibsen which is quite an unusual thing.

BABY PARTY A SUCCESS.

The most unique event of the week in Oakland was the grown-up baby party given by Mrs. Schrock on Monday to the small Five Hundred Club of which she is a member. The club will hold but two more meetings, one an evening affair at Mrs. Fred Burton's to which the twelve club husbands will be invited and the other the final meeting of the season when, after a dinner at one of the French restaurants across the bay, the twelve members of the club and their husbands will witness a performance of Mrs. Fiske. They spend the money collected for dues in this agreeable way instead of playing for prizes. The scores for the season are kept, however, but the members play for glory alone.

To return to Mrs. Schrock's party. The luncheon table was set for twelve and bonbons were passed around. The bonbons matched and in them were whistles. The lady whose whistle matched yours was your partner for luncheon. At each place at

table was a pretty blue and white bibbed with blue ribbon, these being souvenirs to take home. In addition there was another favor of some article appropriate for a baby's use such as rattles, tiny hair brushes, toothling rings, powder puffs and so forth.

There were no knives or forks or spoons at table, everything being prepared so that it could be eaten with the fingers, baby fashion.

The chops were served with paper, the potatoes were crisp and French fried and for dessert there were tiny apple pies, hot and designed to be eaten with the fingers. Finger glasses were passed after each course and the luncheon was exceedingly jolly. The guests laughed until the tears came, and probably they will never see the score cards which were rattle boxes with three bells on one end and beautiful baby pictures on them without laughing again at the comical remembrance of it all.

Mrs. Schrock also gave appropriate prizes for the afternoon's playing, the silk baby bonnet falling to Mrs. Mehrmann's share and the Easter egg to Mrs. Burton.

MISS BURDGE ENTERTAINED.

Miss Burdge was charmingly entertained by Miss Mary Wilson last week. A large number of attractive maids and fascinating young matrons, assisted Miss Wilson in receiving. Miss Wilson and Bernard Miller are cousins. I hear that Mr. and Mrs. Smith have given Miss Burdge a home for a wedding present.

RECEPTION TO THE NEW RECTOR OF GRACE.

A reception to the new rector of Grace Church will be given at Century Hall on Tuesday evening by the vestry at the Cathedral Church. It will be a large affair. The Rev. David Evans is the new rector called from New York on recommendation of Bishop Potter and of the two vestrymen, Mr. W. H. Crocker and Mr. William Mintzer, who have heard him in New York. Contrary to all the traditions of Grace, the new rector is not a Southerner, but a Welshman by birth, though a New Yorker by education and environment.

Bishop Potter thinks a great deal of him and he is said to be a brilliant young preacher with oratorical powers. He is young—middle-aged and a widower with a small daughter. There

are a number of attractive unmarried women in the Grace Church congregation and so considerable interest is felt that the first eligible man to come to Grace's pulpit in many years.

The young man who has been filling the pulpit since the death of Dr. Route was Rev. Robert E. Lee Craig, but even his name could not save him. Though possessed of all the social graces, a most delightful conversationalist and the husband of a charming wife, he was not acceptable to the parishioners at Grace, though they dearly love a Southerner. They did not approve of his reading nor of his sermons. He has officiated now for some months and will go to Southern California as he is rather fragile of physique and likes the climate of this State very much indeed.

THE WEATHER PROPHETS.

Now that it has really cleared at the change of the moon, as the wiseacres said it would and we are safe in springing our Easter bonnets many spring parties are planning.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell Cool are entertaining a house party from Friday to Monday of this week, their guests including Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deering, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gerette, Mr. Richard M. Hotelling, Mr. Charles K. Field and Mr. John Housman. The house party is a blossom party and the scene is Dolawood, the Cool ranch near Los Gatos.

RETURNING FROM THE SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Deering, who spent last week at the Potter in Santa Barbara spent the early part of this week at the Sea Beach in Santa Cruz. During their few days in town they entertained very quietly at dinner Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craft and Mr. and Mrs. Crank of Los Angeles, the party afterward enjoying Mrs. Fiske's performance of "Hedda Gabler" from a stage box.

EASTER IN THE CITY.

But in spite of all that is going on, nothing is sweeter or lovelier than Easter in town, with the churches abloom with lilies and violets and a very lovely thing in the way of flowers and women and gowns and headgear abroad all at once. Easter means more even than the Christian church

wishes it to symbolize. It means the resurrection of the year with all that that implies, spring flowers and budding—the new birth of all Nature. That is why everyone loves it so.

SOCIETY LEADER WANTED.

Wanted—A society leader! You see there is a social leader in almost every large city in the Union, and around her centers much of social life, and gayety generally.

She can introduce new families who are desirable factors in social circles, and she can stand by old families when there is need of her.

Of course, there have been those among us who aspired to leadership in the past. I am afraid they had a rather uncomfortable time before they laid down the scepter and returned to the ranks.

Social evolution was of so recent a date, that chapter one was fairly in evidence, and we had a way of referring to "early days," in the mines, perhaps, or in somebody's kitchen, which was just the worst kind of "knocking."

One of the most talented society writers of the day is Mrs. Burton Harrison, and she discusses this very question in Everybody's Magazine.

Mrs. Harrison says: "You cannot now fairly recognize the difference in tone between good society in the Eastern portion of our vast correlation of social force on this continent, and that of the West. Great wealth and swift locomotion, the extraordinary rapidity with which the American woman reflects and absorbs the color of her surroundings, make as far my experience goes, the grande dame of New York and the mondaine of vogue in San Francisco, indistinguishable in externals."

"If there be any advantage to either, my voice would perhaps be for the greater simplicity and frankness of manner observable in the lady from the West. She is generally not afraid to admit that she is enjoying herself; and almost always, she reveals a willingness to extend cordiality to a casual

usually made acquaintance.

This last concession, we all know, is not a mark of highest fashion in the East. Some haughty dames there are who would perish rather than accord it; and there is no one like your aristocrat of dollars and cents for putting people she does not know in their proper places. There is something refrigerating in the atmosphere of the close corporations of New York and its clubs and country homes."

And then Mrs. Harrison goes on to name the social leaders in many of the large cities of the Union. Of course in New York, it is Mrs. Astor, nobody on this continent disputes her social sway. And in Boston it is Mrs. John Gardner, and well known names are on the roll call down the line of cities. But nobody from the West of the Rocky Mountains is named.

FRIGID SOCIAL ATMOSPHERE.

You cannot be altogether sorry for the frigid social atmosphere of New York where strangers are concerned. It does your heart good on occasions, to remember that some people who are socially "it," here, have it taken out of them good and hard, when they land up in New York. They may go to the "Waldorf" and pay out their good money, and lots of it,—and gaze at the social elect from a safe distance. But "break in?" Never. Not if they lived there a century. So they may go many a time to New York, but they make no social progress, it is only in the far West, that they are ever accorded a place in the seats of the mighty. And I am not always sure that it is altogether a safe or a comfortable place for them.

WE WILL EVOLVE A SOCIAL LEADER.

Of course, in time, we will probably evolve a social leader. And it won't be altogether because she has lots of money. The women of today demand good breeding, and a fair amount of intellectual ability.

The woman who presumes too much on the money which chance sent her

way, never knows quite what happens to her. She gets a surprise that opens her eyes, and before she has finished the social climb, she is a sadder and a wiser woman.

SOCIAL LEADERS WE KNOW.

Of social leaders in San Francisco, there might have been many. Of course, standing far and away at the long line of notable women in California, is Mrs. Hearst. But really she belongs to the nation—more even than to California,—for she is one of the most distinguished women in the history of the world today. And when she entertains it is on a scale of such magnitude, that nobody else could possibly ever imitate it. There are hundreds at a time at a single garden party at the Hacienda.

Mrs. Will Crocker has a large following in San Francisco, and she is very well fitted in every way for social leadership.

Mrs. Monroe Salisbury has done a great deal in a single way for San Francisco, but she has been so very ill, that she will not take much active interest in social affairs for a long time to come. And they say Mrs. Eleanor Martin has altogether too kind a heart to be a social leader,—there would not be any hors up. It would be easy to "break in,"—so you couldn't be "exclusive" you know, and those who are of the elect wouldn't develop that superiority necessary to social happiness.

SOCIAL LEADER AT HOME.

And here in our own home town! Well, I don't altogether know. Of course, Mrs. Albert Miller has always stood for the higher values of life, and has been at the head of a home, charming in many ways, the whole family is related to so many other families that they constitute one of the widest social circles in the State. Mrs. Miller would never stand for social leadership.

If a leader could have been chosen, I am quite sure of one thing—the honor might have fallen to Mrs. J. C. Tucker,—bright, pretty, well bred Mrs. Tucker,—just as young as any of that pretty bevy of daughters.

Some one said of her the other day, that she needed neither money nor a big house,—she has traveled far, has seen things socially,—and with the backing of family and refinement Mrs. Tucker might count for much on this coast.

And then, there is Mrs. Wheaton, who for years has carried off the honor, as one of the most beautiful women on the whole coast. She has been a very devoted mother, presiding over a home beautiful in every way. I think she wouldn't care very much for leadership. She is very fond of her friends, but she never has cared to add to her circle indiscriminately, just for the sake of knowing people.

So when you come to analyze our

list, we must acknowledge that we drift along all right,—that we have an exclusive smart set—but no one can be found, who would acknowledge leadership in it.

WHAT A BRIGHT MATRON SAID.

It was the theme of discussion the other day, and a bright young matron said: "I don't see what you want a social leader for any way. Don't you remember the story of the frogs who asked Jupiter for a king? He sent them a log, but they didn't like king Log, so he sent them a stork."

"And what happened?" asked the woman who hadn't made the acquaintance of Aesop in the days of her youth.

"Oh, there were not any more frogs, the stork ate them up. For some people, there wouldn't be any more society—they'd be cut out!"

So perhaps after all for some people, it's just as well, that at present, there is not any "Social Leader."

LIVELY SCRAP AT THE EBELL.

The Ebells had the liveliest "scrap" of the winter last Tuesday.—It was both interesting and refreshing. You see there has to be a "scrap" at intervals to keep up interest in the modern woman's club.

There has been a deadly monotony all winter, and so the little difference of opinion cleared the atmosphere, something like the effect of a thunder-storm.

It looks as if the Ebells would go straight back to the beginning and consider the whole thing all over again. At any rate Mrs. Borland's lot on the corner of Prospect Avenue was simply snowed under, and will probably not come up again. "Two lines of cars and a block to walk in the rain," was the slogan that killed it. The committee did decide definitely on that location, but the club would have none of it. There were two out and out factions,—and they really fought to a finish,—and the lot on the Borland place, saw its finish before the sun went down!

And after all it is a good thing. It means that women are learning to think for themselves, and to consider intelligently problems presented to them. It is my private opinion that the "political boss," would never be a success if women had much to do with politics. They would find him out, very early in the game.

The people who tried to rule affairs in the Ebells the other day were greatly surprised at the strength developed by the opposition. And really the "electioneering" and some of the methods employed were worth studying. But it won't do to give away the secrets of a woman's club. The average man enjoys that kind of a joke far too well.

But this I will say—I hear the orthodox cut and dried ticket, is very

MANY EVENTS PLANNED BY SMART SET



Miss Helen Webster WEBSTER PHOTO

far from being satisfactory to many of the members, and that another ticket is to be in the field. And may it never be known that I told!

SOME DATES WE HAVE AHEAD.

One can hardly believe it is Lent, so many things have written themselves into the history of the past six weeks. And in looking over the dates to come, it is apparent that we are to end one of the busiest social seasons in years in a great blaze of glory.

There are dates all through April and May, and almost up to June, when every one is leaving for the country.

On Monday evening there will be the much talked of wedding at Arbor Villa. Weddings are really the very hardest things to give in a social way. More antagonisms settle about them, than about any other form of social entertainment. The members of a family who are left out feel slighted, and those that are invited to the reception and not to the marriage feel distinctly aggrieved. People have a way of being sensitive, and you can't soothe their ruffled feelings. And perhaps the groom has a long list of friends, and they cannot all be asked, and it is such a pity for the young people to begin life together, with social antagonisms to ally. But I suppose it cannot be helped, under our order of things, only what ought to be a bright happy occasion, has often, here and there, an underlying strain of bitterness.

I hear over a thousand invitations are out for the wedding and reception at Arbor Villa. The marriage is set for nine o'clock, and the wedding reception for half after nine.

Mr. Miller will take his bride away on a short wedding tour, and when they return, they will make their home at the Miller residence on Boulevard Terrace.

MISS RUTH KALES' AFFAIR.

On Monday, also, Miss Ruth Kales will give a very informal tea, in honor of Miss Phyllis Mather, of Providence, who came to the coast with Miss Kales. She will remain here for some weeks of the spring and summer.

Miss Kales is to entertain informally at her home on Lake street, and she will be assisted in receiving by some of her young friends, among them, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Miss Sims, Miss Ada Kenner, Mrs. Irving Burrell, Miss May Coogan, Miss Jean Cuff, Miss Isabella Kendall, Miss Elsie Everson, Miss Savilla Hayden, Miss Elsie Schilling, the Misses Edith and Bonnie Downing.

On Tuesday Miss Florine Brown will entertain for Miss Ruth Kales. There is not going to be a card game as has been announced. Miss Brown has telephoned to about twenty young

girl friends of the guest of honor, and there will be a cup of tea at four o'clock.

THREE TUESDAY DATES.

On Tuesday, also, Mrs. Montell Taylor will entertain at cards, so will Mrs. John Maxwell. And on that day also, Miss Estelle Kleiman is inviting her friends to a card party at her home on Madison street. It is to be in honor of Miss Leta Gallatin, who leaves next week for the East, en route for Europe. She is to remain absent four years, studying music under the best masters to be found there.

MRS. WHEATON'S LARGE MUSICAL.

On Wednesday afternoon, those who are fortunate enough to be included in Mrs. Wheaton's list, will go over to the Home Club for the musical and reception she has planned for her friends. The entire Home Club will be thrown open, and will make a fine environment for one of the very brilliant social seasons of the season.

In the first place it is different from anything else we have had this season—there is a program, on which Mrs. Wheaton has bestowed much thought, to interest everyone. It seems as if the keynote of this special afternoon might well be "to come early and stay late." It will really be a great pleasure to hear Karoline Little sing, since she represents the very best training that France and Germany can offer. She has sung in concert work, with great success, both in Dresden and Berlin. One hears of her great success in musicals across the bay, especially the ones given in the Hill and Casserly homes. After the program there will of course be the informal reception, and I know it will be a late hour before the guests will want to say good by to so hospitable a hostess.

Mrs. Wheaton will be assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. George Sterrett Wheaton, Mrs. Harrison Clay, Mrs. William Lyman Shields, Mrs. Milton Bulkley, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Marion Smith, Miss Florine Brown, Miss Marietta Hays, Miss Alice and Miss Ruth Knowles, Miss Nightingale, Miss Ethel Cutton, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Florence Hush, Miss May Coogan, Miss Elizabeth McNair, and Miss Christie Taft.

WEDDING OF ETHEL KENT.

On the evening of Wednesday, will be the wedding of Ethel Kent and Lieutenant Allen, to which many of the young people are going over. Miss Noelle De Golla will not be among the bride's attendants as she has been

ill, and that is a matter of regret to many people.

THE SHIELDS' AT HOME.

On next Thursday, Oakland society will be well represented at the Shields' at home in San Francisco, where Mrs. Shields will entertain at an elaborate reception in honor of Mrs. William Lyman Shields, formerly Miss Elsie Bennet.

It will be one of the largest "at homes" of the season, the combined lists of the families reaching up in the hundreds.

The "at home" will include men, and Doctor Shields and his brother are prominently identified with the leading clubs in San Francisco, so it is very probable that one will meet many guests definitely worth while.

SPINSTERS' CLUB TO ENTERTAIN.

On the evening of the thirteenth, the "Spinsters' Club" is to entertain its friends, but in a most informal fashion. It occasioned great amusement to their friends when these young girls called themselves "The Spinsters' Club," for not one of them is likely to remain in any such club! There are just five girls who make up the historical "Spinsters' Club," and they have been meeting at informal Thimble Bees all through the winter. The members are Savilla Hayden, Katherine Kutz, Helen Dornin, Gertrude Russell, and Mabel Cooley.

They are going to entertain in the most informal way at Savilla Hayden's home on Madison street. And please mention how very informal it is to be, for the young girls are greatly distressed at the elaborate way in which the whole affair has been exploited.

Each girl could invite twenty guests, and the result is a list of a hundred young people who are to be entertained informally at the Hayden home.

WEDDING OF EDNA BARRY.

The date of the wedding of Miss Edna Barry and Mr. Philip Clay has been definitely decided upon, and it will take place at three o'clock on the afternoon of April thirtieth. That will be Saturday afternoon, and the date was chosen, that many of Mr. Clay's friends—the men, I mean, might be able to cross the bay. The wedding will take place at St. John's Episcopal Church.

MRS. MOLLER'S TEA.

And to keep up with these, many April dates, one must chronicle the reception to be given by Mrs. William Moller and Miss Moller, who will be at home to their friends on the afternoon of April fourteenth.

Miss Lillie Moller is the eldest of a



Miss Jessie Palmer

very bright bevy of girls, and they make up the most delightful household.

Miss Moller carried off the honors of her class at the University, but she is not at all the typical college woman. She is full of vivacity.

Miss Moller was recently abroad with Miss Mary Barker, and Miss Helen Powell, and they will no doubt be in the receiving party at the reception.

The reception hour is at four o'clock and the Moller residence on Prospect avenue, will be the scene of a large and representative gathering.

SHAFTER HOWARD'S MUSICAL COMEDY.

On Friday, April twenty-ninth, Shafter Howard's new musical comedy, "His Royal Nibs" will be given at the Macdonough Theater. The patronesses were given last week, also an outline of the plot. And from every point of view it is simply great.

Mr. Howard met many of the patronesses last Sunday afternoon, at his mother's home on Alca street. Many of the singers who take the principal parts in the new operetta were also there, and they ran over the score in the most informal fashion. But it was so immensely effective, that it called out outbursts of spontaneous applause from the audience assembled.

The whole operetta is really great fun. It starts out with a dash that is kept up the whole way through. Andrew Rogart is to take the part of "His Royal Nibs"—and he does it all exceedingly well.

One of the singers carries a stick of dynamite to Hades, and they are all blown to the South Sea Islands, where again there is a splendid field for—well, Shafter Howard called them, "Punny Stunts." And there are fairies, and fiends, and all sorts of fine stage effects—and all to the accompaniment of some of the best music Shafter Howard has ever written. There were many guests from San Francisco, and after the rehearsal tea was served, and the guests much enjoyed the Sunday afternoon at the Howard home.

Among the guests were Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Florence Nightingale, Mrs. Clifton Day, Miss Mollie Connors, Miss Florine Brown, Miss Everts, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. Shafter Howard, Miss Marlan Goodfellow, Mrs. Kate Bulkley, and many representatives from the Ladies' Relief Society.

MISS GOODALL'S WEDDING.

And really I cannot be expected to go on with any more April dates, for there are more—only these have seemed the most important. There is one May date of great interest to many, and that is the date of Miss Ella Goodall's wedding which is set for May eleventh. Doctor Charles Minor Cooper and Miss Goodall will be married at the bride's home on Jackson street.

It is not to be a large wedding, only the relatives and most intimate friends of the family being present.

Mrs. Skane of Oregon will be the matron of honor, and the two dainty little bridesmaids will be Suzette Greenwood and Helen Goodall.

Doctor Cooper studied medicine abroad, and was for many months in London. He is a very accomplished musician, as also is Miss Goodall.

The engagement has been a long one, but the young people waited until Doctor Cooper was well established in his profession. He has been very successful, and so the wedding of the happy young people will take place early in May.

ART AND MUSIC FOR SMART SET.

Now if you really want to be part of the Smart Set, you must know some-



Miss C. Johnson

thing about art and music,—or at any rate you must pretend you do, and trust to a kind fate not to let you be found out! In these April days, you must be seen often at the Art Exhibit, in the Mark Hopkins Institute.

For there you will meet the most exclusive of the San Francisco social set. And really they talk art very well indeed, as they ought to, considering how many times most of them have been abroad, and how many hours they have spent in the famous art galleries of Europe. One of them, an artist to her finger tips, was my guide the other day, and this is the result of the expedition. The fine art criticism is hers, and not mine:

The alterations of the Searis gallery in the Mark Hopkins Institute of Art are a success. The broad canvas canopy over the skylight materially softens the daytime lighting of the paintings, while the reddish brown burlap forms an excellent background for them. This warm background, being relieved at intervals by green pilasters and separated from the lighter tinting above by a heavy green moulding which tend to cut down the height of the gallery, creates a very different impression from the cold barn like one that has been noticeable in the past. This is the forty-ninth exhibition and it is pleasant to be able to record it as being the most creditable one that has yet been held.

In the sculpture work Earl Cummings' "The Two Powers of Good and Evil," which was exhibited at the Paris salon, seems to dominate all the other casts. The poise of the angel, the sweep of her wings, and her benign expression are particularly fine. Robert Aitken is represented by a number of portraits in relief that show considerable earnest work. There is, notwithstanding some minor unfavorable criticisms that have been made, great strength in his "Luck of Roaring Camp." It is the study which he submitted for a monument to Bret Harte. Florence H. Butler's small portrait medallions are commendable. One of the oils with the most atmosphere,—the best that has been seen from his brush, is Cadannasso's "California Oaks."

The two canvases by Keith, our foremost landscape artist, cause some disappointment because they do not come up to his usual high standard. The silvery moonlight tones in Charles Rolfe Peter's painting, "Monterey Bay," is an improvement on his previous work, many of the latter having been too sombre.

Mr. Latimer is known by the poetic skill with which he generally handles interiors. His one oil in this exhibition is suggestively called "Where the Trout Love to Hide."

One who has lived in the Berkeley



Miss Annie Moore

atmosphere knows how to appreciate Edith Whitefield's "Berkeley Hillside." It is a pity that it is so poorly hung.

Willis Davis' "Alphabet Fence" attracts favorable attention as does Alice Chittenden's pink roses, against a soft gray background, as being beautifully true to nature.

Greenbaum's "Cabbage Patch" is typically Dutch and impresses one by that intangible quality which we can not define, but which certainly should be termed true art. Hubcock's still-life is always creditable.

Wachtel, of Los Angeles, has a number of excellent paintings, three of which are already sold.

In the "Portrait of Children" by Matteo Sandona, a young Italian artist, the subjects are posed with ease and expression. Gamble's "Wild Heliotrope," growing in luxuriant profusion over a southern California hillside, is his most striking and best production. Hether Hismar's portrait by Caroline Rixford is a true likeness.

Judson is represented by several notable canvases. The composition in Benjamin C. Brown's "Poppy Fields in Pasadena" is unusually good as is also his interpretation of the brilliant coloring.

In the Upper Gallery are hung the water colors. The most noteworthy of these landscapes are Mr. Latimer's "Brook,"—a cool shady retreat, and Anna Frances Briggs' "In the Sierras, near Cisco." The latter cannot fail to appeal to those who are fond of the mountains and of restful fragrant retreats amongst the pines. One senses the same feeling in this that we find in John Muir's writings.

Another Oakland artist, Laura Prather, has some distinctive work,—two miniatures.

The exhibits will be open daily, including Sunday, from nine until five, until the twenty-second of April; also on each Thursday evening, when an attractive musical program will enhance the entertainment.

And that reminds me that Orrin Peck leaves for New York this week, en route for London, where he is to make his permanent home. He has done the great work of his life, in the beautiful portrait of Mrs. Hearst, which is a masterpiece.

He has also painted an exceedingly fine portrait of Hon. James D. Phelan. Mr. Peck is very fortunate, in being able to begin life in London in the studio of the late lamented Whistler. Across the street from Orrin Peck's studio, is that of Abbey, one of the

most famous portrait painters of Europe.

MRS. WHEELER'S SISTER HERE.

Mrs. P. L. Wheeler has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. James Safford of Springfield, Mass., and her niece, Miss Lella Safford.

Mrs. Safford was formerly Miss May Kirkham, and was very popular in society here in the days when the Kirkham home on Eighth street was the scene of many social gatherings. Mrs. Wheeler invited a few old friends to meet her sister, and the result was an afternoon very delightfully spent. Among the guests were Mrs. Brayton, Mrs. T. B. Coghill, Mrs. Stanley, Mrs. Bruce Hayden, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. Bernard Ransome, Mrs. William Bull Pringle, Miss Miner, Miss Mary Williams, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Mrs. Alfred Cohen. There were also many friends from across the bay.

Mrs. Safford and her daughter are spending a few days at the Hotel St. Francis across the bay.

COUNTRY HOMES OPENED.

Many of the country homes have been opened for Easter, in an informal way of course. The E. A. Herons are at Ben Leland, and so are the Edgar Bishops. The Kittredges have sold their home on Grove street, and are going to Los Gatos in the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tobin will spend the summer at their beautiful place near Calistoga. Mrs. Tobin entertains a succession of house parties in a quiet way during the summer, and she usually has Mrs. Tom Magee to assist her, in the latter's bright, enthusiastic fashion.

Mrs. Joseph Tobin and Mrs. Tom Magee are much together, and they were at luncheon recently at the St. Francis, where they attracted much attention.

Mrs. Tobin wore her fur coat and a brown fur hat to match, and Mrs. Magee wore that stunning costume of gray velvet she brought from New York this winter.

AN EGG ROLLING AFFAIR.

One of the most charming entertainments of the week is planned for this afternoon, when Mrs. Wheaton is going to entertain all the little children of the neighborhood at an Easter party on the lawn. It is to be

an egg rolling, after the scheme of Easter at the White House, when egg rolling on the lawn is an annual event.

Mrs. Wheaton has invited all her little guests for three o'clock, and the party will begin with a famous egg hunt. It is the most picturesque sight in the world to see those children on the lawn, peering into every bush, and around every tree, for the Easter eggs hidden everywhere.

Mrs. Wheaton has asked the children to come in their school clothes, and to wear over-shoes, so their good time seems to be fully assured.

After the egg hunt, there will come games for prizes, to be followed by the egg rolling down the sloping terrace. The children keep all the eggs they catch, and there is much fun among the gay group. Later in the afternoon, refreshments will be served, and the picturesque cottage at the foot of the terrace on the Wheaton grounds. It looks directly out upon the lake, and the view is simply superb. Here refreshments will be served, and there will be little low chairs and tables for the young guests.

Mrs. Wheaton will receive the latter, assisted by Elizabeth and Jayne Adams, and I suppose their baby cousin will be there also, little Ida Belle Wheaton.

Mrs. Wheaton's egg rolling party for the children, will be one of the most interesting of the many Easter festivities, and the joy and enthusiasm of the children will be a sight long to be remembered.

Lo, the Easter Rabbits are ready to start out with their gifts, and little children everywhere await their coming.

In the many churches are the Easter lilies, typical of the Resurrection.

It is almost time for the Easter bells to ring out glad greetings. May they tell a joyful story, and may the merry Master chiming find an answering echo in many a happy home!

THE MEDDLER.

GAVE A DINNER.

Miss Mae Burdge was hostess last evening at a delightful little dinner which included the members of the bridal party. The color scheme was pink and white and a fragrant cluster of fruit blossoms formed an effective table decoration.

Miss Burdge's guests were Miss Winifred Burdge, Miss Marion Smith, Miss Evelyn Ellis, Miss Florence Nightingale, Miss Grace Sperry, Miss Mary Barker, Miss Florence White, Miss May Coogan, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Miss Carolyn Oliver, Bernard Miller, Clay Gooding, Stanley Moore, Joseph King, Arthur Goodfellow, Harold Havens, Taylor Bell, William Correll, Bartley Peart, Ralph Jones and Roland Oliver.

LINDA VISTA CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wiggins will entertain the Linda Vista Whist Club next Friday evening at their charming home.

WHIST CLUB MEETS.

Mrs. S. L. Everett was hostess at an enjoyable meeting of the Sterling Whist Club recently. After a game of cards the lucky scorers proved to be Mrs. John Livingston, Mrs. J. F. Wiggins and Mrs. Gilbert Belcher.

Mrs. Everett's guests were Mrs. Julian Mathieu, Mrs. Richard Lyman, Mrs. William A. Leach Jr., Mrs. Livingston, Miss Grace Livingston, Mrs. B. S. Hubbard, Mrs. George H. Ison, Mrs. Kennerly Bryan, Mrs. William A. House, Miss Clara Belcher, Mrs. E. L. Henshaw, Mrs. Walter Thompson Kellogg, Mrs. John A. Britton, Mrs. Gilbert Belcher, Mrs. Helena Posten, Miss Riddick, Mrs. Frederick B. Dallen, Mrs. Charles D. Bates, Mrs. John F. Wiggins, Mrs. Edward N. Engelhardt, Mrs. Samuel Jackson, Mrs. Frank A. Leach Jr., Mrs. Edward M. Prather, Mrs. John D. Eby, Mrs. J. Q. Brown and Mrs. David Ewald Brown. Mrs. Gilbert Belcher will be the entertainer at the club's next meeting.

WILL GIVE A CARD PARTY.

Miss Elsie Everson will be hostess at a card party to be given on Saturday of next week in honor of Miss Edna Barry and Miss Mabel Donaldson. Only members of the unmarried set are included in the guest list and

it promises to be a delightful informal affair.

Five hundred will be the chosen game, and the receiving party includes Miss Mollie Mathes, Miss Leta Schlusser, Miss May Coogan, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Miss Ethel Crollin, Miss Ethel Sims, Miss Edith Beck, Miss Gertrude Davidson, Miss Myrtle Sims, Miss Carolyn Palmantier, Miss Jean Downey, Miss Claire Chabot, Miss Alice Treanor, Miss Jane Barry and Miss Letitia Barry. Miss Marion Everson, Miss Harriet Emma Knight and Miss Mary Wilson will score.

WILL GIVE RECEPTION.

Mrs. Bush Fennell, nee Huff, of San Francisco, will be hostess at a reception to be given Friday, April 15. The guests of honor will be Mrs. W. O. Downey and her daughters, who have returned from Europe.

MASQUERADE BALL.

The Sons of Veterans announce a grand masquerade ball to take place Tuesday evening, April 5th, at Lorin Hall, on Eleventh street.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Prohibition Club, at 1490 Market street, Thursday afternoon, some excellent work was done. The devotional exercises were led by Doctor Bushnell of Highland Park. The lady showed conclusively from her exposition of scripture and personal experiences in this and other lands, that the great fault with professing Christians, and Christian statesmen, is their failure to emulate the full, round life of Christ, as set forth in Holy Writ. Men will vote right, when their lives are clean.

An excellent program musical and literary, was rendered, which was followed by a lively discussion of the political phase of prohibition.

Mrs. M. E. Dunn, of Ohio, read a personal letter from the editor of the "Defender," published in St. Louis, entreating the women of California to aid in the work of warning parents and guardians to have a more watchful care over the girls in every community; since hundreds of girls are being lured from their homes to supply the immoral markets in St. Louis during the World's Fair, the club adjourned to meet in one week at the above number, at which time the women will give careful consideration to Mrs. Dunn's appeal.

KEMPEY-COBLEDECK.

The wedding of Miss Emeline Cobledeck, daughter of Mrs. James Cobledeck, of 1123 Third avenue, and Augustus Kempey, will take place Wednesday evening, April 6, at 8:30, in the lecture room of the Eighth avenue M. E. Church.

Miss Florence Cobledeck, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Miss Isabel Leal and Miss Salile De Vine will be the bridesmaids.

The best man will be Charles Stova, and Messrs. Ross West, Charles De Wolf, Fred Schegner and Chester Newell will act as ushers. A reception will follow the ceremony.

The wedding will be strictly invitational and admission will be by card only.

MCDONALD-FLYNN WEDDING.

Miss Alice Flynn and John McDonald, a popular young local attorney, are to be married in San Francisco on April 5, in the chapel of the Youth's Directory. The bride will be attended by her sister, Mrs. Butler, as matron of honor. The affair will be quite elaborate and a large number of the friends of the contracting parties have received invitations.

Mr. McDonald has achieved great success in his chosen profession, and has a bright and promising future.

Miss Flynn is well liked and very popular among the social set. She has many accomplishments and is a talented musician.

THEY WILL MARRY.

An interesting wedding will take place Tuesday, April 12 when Miss Jessie L. Palmer will become the bride of Roy S. Handy at the home of the bride's parents on Grove street.

Miss Margaret Crocker will be maid of honor and the following young ladies will attend the bride: Miss Edie Colter, Miss Linda Colter, Miss Olive Ostrander, Miss Ethel Rahm, Miss Virginia Allen, Miss Avis Osborn, Miss Willie Jarvis, Miss Annie Davies will play the wedding march.

Miss Palmer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Palmer of 1314 Grove street and both young people have a host of friends on both sides of the bay.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gover visited relatives in Benicia recently.

E. J. Cotton was a recent guest at the St. George Hotel, Santa Cruz.

Camillus Nelson and Mrs. C. W. Bush of Woodland are visiting friends in Oakland.

Miss Florine Juillard was in Niles

recently, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Fisher.

Mrs. Jennie Hunt of Woodland has been visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Grant Miller and children are visiting relatives in Atwater.

Mrs. T. A. Boyer has returned after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. George Archaebault, and family, at Modesto.

D. W. Koppicus has been visiting his brother, H. G. Koppicus, at Georgetown.

Mrs. Adela Norton has returned to her home in St. Helena after several days' visit with friends in Oakland and Berkeley.

Captain C. A. Fuller and A. R. Klein were recent visitors in Modesto.

Miss Alice Folger visited friends in Sebastopol recently.

Mrs. A. E. Passmore, accompanied by her daughter, Edna, has left for Portland, Or., where she will join her husband, prior to their departure for Denver.

Mrs. Arthur Breed and her two children have gone to their pretty country home in the Santa Cruz mountains. Miss Helen Dornin accompanied them as their guest.

John McNear left Thursday for his home in Liverpool, Eng., after an enjoyable visit with relatives here.

Master Norman Otis of Alice street has gone to Lodi for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Miss Rachel Scott of Fifth avenue is spending her vacation with relatives in the northern part of the State.

EASTERN SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Easter Sunday will be observed at the First Christian Church, corner of Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, by special musical services and sermon. The Eastern service will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. T. A. Boyer, at the morning service, while in the evening a musical program of an unusually elaborate nature will be rendered by the large chorus choir. A short address will be delivered in the evening by the pastor, followed by the musical selections which have been especially arranged for the occasion.

The choir, which is under the direction of Dr. O. S. Dean, will present the following numbers:

MORNING SERVICE.

1.—Organ Prelude "Berceuse" (Archibald).

2.—Hymnology.

3.—Hymn, "The Lord Is Risen," choir and congregation.

4.—Anthem, "O Light that Breaks from Jordan Tomb" (Dressler).

5.—Quartet, "Easter Song" (Marzo).

6.—Soprano solo, "He is not here for He is risen" (Broome).

7.—Hymn, "Let Him Come In."

8.—Organ Postlude "Marche" (Alphonse Maillay).

EVENING SERVICE.

1.—Organ Prelude "Allegretto" (Louis d'Argos).

2.—Anthem, "Awaken Ye" (Lewis).

3.—Hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today," choir and congregation.

4.—Anthem, "Ring out Glad Bells of Easter Day" (Dressler).

5.—Soprano solo, "He is not here for He is risen" (Broome).

6.—Plain Chant, "Christ Our Passover" (Webb), choir.

7.—Quartet, "O Risen Lord," violin obligato (Fisher).

8.—Violin Offertory, "Berceuse" (Renaud).

9.—Soprano Solo, "Hosanna" (Granier).

10.—Hymn, "Wanderer Come" (Gullmont).

11.—Organ Postlude, "Fugue" (Granier).

The soloists of the choir are as follows: Soprano, Miss Edna Butler, Miss Grace Kidwell, Miss Ruthie Martin; tenor, Dr. O. S. Dean; basso, C. Wallace Merwin; organist, Will Caruth; violinist, Frederick Seifert.

PILGRIM CHURCH.

Pilgrim Congregational Church, Raymond C. Brooks, pastor, 11 a. m. the Easter message "The Risen Lord," 5 p. m., vesper communion. Reception of members with special musical service.

MORNING MUSICAL PRESENTATIONS.

Organ Prelude, Allegro Appassionato (Harwood).

Quartet, with tenor solo, "As it began to dawn" (Bassett).

Soprano solo (with violin obligato), "Ye Bells of Easter Day" (Dressler).

Offertory, violin, Andante Religioso (Mozart).

Quartet, "Christ Our Passover" (Bartlett).

Contralto solo, "God shall wipe away all tears" (Sullivan).

Organ Postlude, grand chorus in D (MacMaster).

AFTERNOON.

Organ Prelude, Fugue in G (Mendelssohn).

Quartet, "Awake Thou that Sleepest" (Mozart).

Tenor solo, "The Light of the World" (Adams).

Quartet, "They have taken away my Lord" (Sullivan).

Baritone solo, Arthur Moore.

Quartet, "We would see Jesus" (Alling).

Quartet—Soprano, Mrs. Raymond C. Brooks; contralto, Mrs. Edith Phelps; tenor, John Coombs; basso, Arthur T. Moore; organist, Mrs. Harriet Hale Crafts.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

METROPOLE—J. D. Warrack, New York; T. W. Hill and wife, Cleveland, Ohio; G. A. Randall and wife, Cleveland, Ohio; H. B. McDonald, Lavalack, Nev.; George Heiplein, Covington, Ky.; Edwin Clark, South Portland, Me.; I. T. Tobin and wife, Salt Lake City, Utah; Denver, Colo., Miss Lucy Hancock, Stewington, Conn.; Mrs. F. B. Noyes, Stewington, Conn.; Mrs. L. E. Mullen, San Francisco; G. W. Seaman, San Francisco; H. T. Loomie and wife and Harold C. Loomie, Cleveland; T. A. Fenno, Quincy, Mass.; James Redfern, Mich.; George A. Matthews and wife and Mrs. Matthews, Fowler, Ind.; J. H. Briggs and wife, Altam, Ind.; H. S. Moore and wife, Schenectady, N. Y.; V. D. Graves and wife, Bradshaw, Neb.; Mrs. Wm. Price and Miss Anna F. Price, Champargi, Ill.; Mrs. C. Lehman, Chicago; Miss Beam, Bedford, Pa.; Emily R. Jones, New York; Mrs. A. C. Ritchie and Miss Margaret Ritchie, Barret, Ches. Folias, Cincinnati; T. D. Gurnea, San Francisco; J. B. Harvey, Philadelphia; N. Devins, Nome, Alaska.

GRILLIN—Mrs. Jennie G. Nichols, Oakland; Roy Caruthers, Chicago; C. Hampton, Stanford, Cal.; W. Alexander, Stockton; David King and wife, Boston, Mass.; G. L. Ellis and wife, San Jose; V. M. Grigsky, Oakland; F. S. Ray, Berkeley; Wm. J. Leroy, Berkeley.

TOURNAINE—S. M. Carver, Greeley, Colo.; Mrs. Sherry, Oakland; F. G. Morse, City guest of H. G. Sutton, Miles Lewis, San Francisco; Susan Herrick, San Francisco.

GALLAND—George Rain, Nevada; J. B. Boyle, City; Henry Thomas, City; Gus Wallin, San Francisco.

ALBANY—George C. Berthel, New York; Mrs. Case and daughter, Oakes, N. Y.; B. Townsend, San Francisco; H. R. Jacobson, San Francisco; C. A. Dell, San Francisco.

ARLINGTON—A. Pollard, Providence, R. I.; Mrs. A. Cullen, J. A. Bouslett, Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Evelyn, San Francisco; H. Hammond, San Francisco; Wm. Curton, San Francisco; Miss Curton, San Francisco; Henry Arlington, San Francisco.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Judgment was suspended by Police Judge Smith in the case of Blanch Nathan, who pleaded guilty to a charge of vagrancy.

The complaint of disturbing the peace filed against Eddie Dugan by J. C. Shine was dropped from the calendar this morning.

CLOITER AGAIN OFFENDS.

Dr. S. A. Cloiter was re-arrested this afternoon on the charge of practicing

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BOARD OF WORKS MEETS.

MUST REMOVE BRACE POSTS—KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS WILL HOLD FAIR.

PRES. WHEELER MENTIONED.

LOOKING FOR A NEW PRESIDENT OF UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, April 2.—The work of securing a new president for the University of Illinois to take the place of President A. S. Draper, who has been elected State Commissioner of Education in New York, will begin Monday, when a committee of three trustees will meet the deans of the different departments of the university.

President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California is the most prominent educator mentioned so far for the presidency.

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THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Board of Public Works elected officers yesterday afternoon for the ensuing year. Mayor Orney and Walter Fawcett, president and secretary, were re-elected.

Commissioner Turner thought possibly that it would serve the interests of the city better if Mayor Orney were elected as the president of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, instead of the head of the Board of Works. Mayor Orney said he preferred to have the offices remain as they were. The Mayor's view of the matter was acceded to without further discussion.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

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The Independence Square Improvement Club held a large and enthusiastic meeting at Thirteenth avenue last night. The bond issue and other matters of moment were taken up and brief addresses were made by Councilmen Wallace, Aitken, Pendleton, Moore and Elliot.

The club passed a vote of confidence in the Council up to date in regard to the water and bond propositions.

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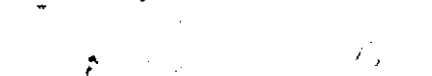
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TEN FAMILIES ARE LIVING IN ONE HOUSE.

VINCENNES, Ind., April 2.—The first word from Russellville, Ill., for three days was received today when John Hill and Allen Callender arrived in boats after a desperate fight with the current.

They say that during the entire nine mile trip from Russellville they found but one house that was not under water and that one was sheltering ten families.

The town of Russellville is all under water. The people have no provisions except meat which is plentiful. The men wanted to charter the boat Belmont to take a load of provisions to Russellville, but the owners think it is too dangerous to send her out in the heavy current.

EXCEPTIONS NOT SUBMITTED.

BURTON'S CASE NOT YET PLACED IN HANDS OF GOVERNMENT.

ST. LOUIS, April 2.—The bill of exceptions to be filed by the defense in the steps to be taken to secure a rehearing of the case of United States Senator Burton of Kansas was not submitted to the government this morning. United States District Attorney Dyer said to the Associated Press:

"I expect to receive the bill of exceptions before the day is over. I intend to go through it very thoroughly and it may be Tuesday before it is formally filed with the court."

Attorney F. W. Lehmann, for the defense, said the bill of exceptions would be completed and submitted to the government today.

SLIGHT EARTHQUAKE. SAN JOSE, April 2.—A slight earthquake occurred in this city at 11:40 a. m. today.

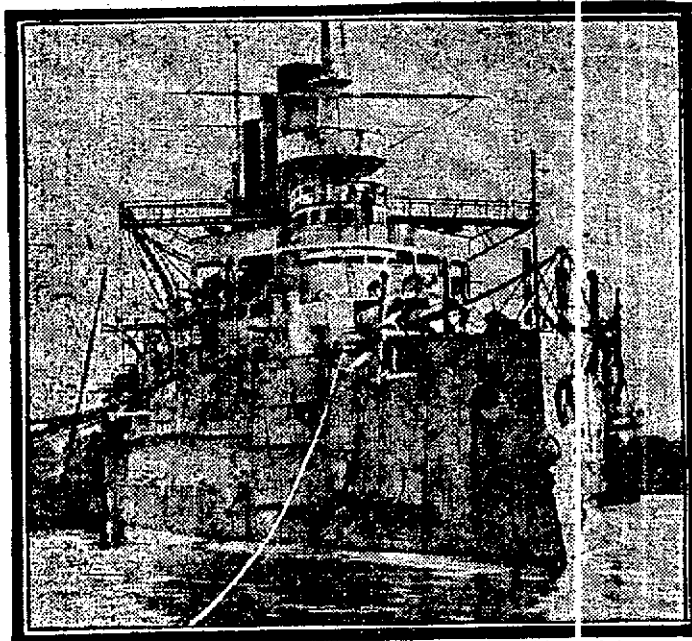


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BATTLE AT THE NEW YORK PRIMARIES.

Hearst and Parker are Working Hard for the Various Delegations.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., April 2.—

Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, denied that David B. Hill has strength enough to organize the State Convention at Albany. Mr. Murphy is not Parker and says so.

"Have overtures been made to you to agree to a resolution of confidence in Judge Parker," he was asked.

"I am not for instructions and have said so repeatedly."

"Suppose the Hill men are strong enough to control the convention."

"That is not to be supposed."

When asked if there was any truth in the report that he would not be for William Randolph Hearst, Mr. Murphy replied: "I am for the strongest man for nominees."

"Do you think Parker is the strongest man before the people?"

"No," he answered.

PARKER SHORT.

Up-State leaders who are working with Tammany Chief Murphy for a free expression by New York delegates of their preference for the President today, after an analysis of returns



SPECIAL SALE

The above illustration represents a residence on Webster street on what is known as the Dorland Tract, which is within easy walking distance of the center of town, within two blocks of Telegraph Avenue line and one block of Piedmont Avenue line. The ground is from 2 to 4 feet above street level and adapted to terracing. The house contains on first floor, parlor, back parlor, hall, dining-room, kitchen, pantry and laundry; on second floor are three bed-rooms, servant's room and bath. Two beautiful fireplaces and combination fixtures ornament the place. Lot 45 x 100. This house cost, complete, \$6,800. Price during continuance of this special offer is \$4,500. For further particulars see HOLOOMB, BREED & BANCROFT, Inc., No. 1660 Broadway, Oakland.

from county conventions thus far held, conceded only 150 of the 450 delegates thus far elected to Alton B. Parker and David B. Hill.

Revised figures for the conventions held yesterday and today in various counties demonstrate that Hill and his broad-based instruction forces are short many votes of the 226 necessary to control the State Convention while the anti-construction forces expect within a week to add enough to the 216 claimed by them after the primaries, to send an unpledged delegation to St. Louis.

RACES HELD AT PLEASANTON.

PLEASANTON, April 2.—The results of the races at Pleasanton this morning were as follows:

The first race, 1 1/2 miles, was won by Louise Graner in 34 seconds.

The second race was won by Dictator in 30 1/2 seconds.

The third race was won by Christobell in 29 1/2 seconds.

The horse sale this afternoon was a

great success. There was a large crowd in attendance and the horses were sold rapidly.

H. L. KEMP IS GOING TO MOVE.

About May 1st H. L. Kemp, the well known furniture dealer of 412 Eleventh street, will remove his business to one of the Eleventh street stores in the Bacon block, and in the meantime his present stock must be disposed of before the date named. Here is an opportunity to obtain some of the greatest bargains in furniture, carpets, stoves, matting, linoleum, etc. ever offered on sale in this city. An inspection of the large invoice now being exhibited will give you an excellent selection in the line mentioned. You should not delay if you desire to be one of the fortunate purchasers at this removal sale, for the goods now on hand are being sold very rapidly, for the regular prices are almost cut in two.

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I have heard a great deal about French models which are being shown at Raphael's Style Store and curiosity, if nothing else, led me there yesterday afternoon. I found their department crowded to its limit and learned that they were holding an Easter Celebration Sale. Their suits certainly are exquisite and there is nothing just like them in the city.

The models of Rodintz are particularly striking. I noticed a beautiful creation in crepe de chine from Mme Sarah which evoked exclamations of admiration and delight. Frances is represented by his masterfully tailored walking gowns. Paquin's elaborate color effects and dashes of style tone are admirably portrayed in their reproductions. Then there are numerous little suits from Redfern and Mme. Louise.

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—THE ONLOOKER.

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EASTER SERVICES IN CHURCHES OF OAKLAND.

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

The following selections will be sung by the choir of the First Congregational Church at its Easter Praise service Sunday evening, April 3:

"This is the Day," chorus and quartette; Edwin H. Lamare; "God So Loved the World," "The Crucifixion," (chorus); Stainer; "Awake Up My Glory" (chorus and choir of boys' voices); Barnby; "Morn's Roses," (quartet); "Palestine," (quartet); "Behold, Ye Desires," (bass solo and chorus); Horatio W. Parker; "Hosanna (contralto solo); Granier; "Praise the Lord," from "A Song of Victory" (soprano solo and chorus); Hiller; organ numbers—"Finales" (Roman numbers); "The Plain Chant for Easter Day," Ch. M. (Vidor); "Andantino," Lemare; "Triumphal March," H. T. Stewart. Special musical numbers will also be given at the morning service. At the evening service the chorus choir will be assisted by the choir of boys' voices from the Sunday school of this church. Soloists: Mrs. Grace Davis-Northrup, contralto; Mrs. Grace Davis-Northrup, contralto; Mr. Arthur A. Macurran, tenor; Mr. Henry L. Perry, bass; Mr. William B. King, organist; Mr. Alexander Stewart, musical director, and chorus choir.

CENTENNIAL.

At Centennial Presbyterian Church the Easter service will be at 11 o'clock. Rev. R. C. Stone will preach on "The Resurrection a Living Hope." In the evening at 7:30 there will be a special service by the Sunday school, to which all are invited. At 11 o'clock, organ, "Crucifixion Processional," Stainer; anthem, "Death's Conqueror," Parker; hymn, "Zion," anthem, "Fear Not, Ye," Shepard; "Invocation," offertory, "Easter Song," Van de Water; Miss Grace E. Bates, soprano; Mrs. W. H. Bates, contralto; W. R. Spencer, organist; organ postlude, John Wiegand. The choir: Miss Nettie L. Camp, Miss Pearl Fiedt, Miss Lucy Almsworth, Miss Mary Mills, Miss Grace E. Bates, Miss Ethel Mills, Miss Sadie Mathison, Miss Clara Berlinger, Chandler Voss, M. L. Fowler, Will Cross, Chester Berlinger, Hugo Verum, Louis M. Wood, Miss Will P. Ellis—Miss Louis G. Williams, organist.

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST.

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—Easter—Claiborne M. Hill, minister. Morning: Organ prelude, "Festival Prelude in Bb," Liebig; doxology; "The Lord's Prayer"; anthem, "He Lives, the Fields of Death Give Way," Williams; hymn, No. 140, "Come, Ye Saints of God," Scripture readings; anthem, "Hallelujah," Humphreys; prayer and response; offertory; solo, "The Resurrection" (Mr. Katzenbach); Shedd hymn, No. 137, "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today," sermon, "Victory," anthem, "Awake! Thou That Sleepest," Stainer; benediction; organ postlude, "Postlude," Gullmunt. Evening: Organ prelude, "Pastoral," Whitely; hymn, No. 151, "Gloria With Many Crowns," Scripture reading; anthem, "Christ Our Passover," Schilling; prayer and response; anthem, "King of Kings," Sumner; offertory, solo, "The Resurrection" (Mr. Katzenbach); hymn, No. 140, "Come, Ye Saints of God," (Henderson); Shelley; hymn, No. 140, "Thine Arm, O Lord, in Days of Old," sermon, "Life," anthem, "Rejoice, The Lord Is King," Adams; Baptismal service; hymn, "Arouse, Thy Gravel," hymn, "The Magnificat," March, Le Blanc; solo quartette and large chorus; O. M. Vesper, director.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The Easter Day services at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Jefferson street will be of special interest. An augmented choir and full orchestra under the direction of Professor Adolf Gregory will render Nicolson chorus, "Messe Solennelle." The soloists will be as follows: "Et Incarnatus," Miss Francis Shear; "Domine Deus," Louis Spuller; offertory, "Hoc Dies," W. H. Webster; benediction will follow the Mass, at which Professor Gregory will sing "O Salutaris" by Mozart. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Father Cantillon. Rev. Dr. K. Morris will officiate at the high mass, 10:30 a. m., assisted by Rev. Father Cantillon as deacon and Rev. Father Mulligan as sub deacon. There will be no evening service.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

St. Andrew's Church, Twelfth and Magnolia—Easter Sunday, Celebrate Holy Eucharist, 7:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer, Holy Eucharist and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Special music: "Every Flower that Blossoms," Harry R. Shelley; "O Death, Where is Thy Sting?" "Surrender," "This is the Day," Albert W. Ketyby; "Hosanna," Jules Granier; "Resurrection," Henry R. Shelley. Soloists: Mrs. Maud Thompson, soprano; H. M. Baker, tenor; R. O. Fokke, bass; Mr. Josephine G. G. organist; Thomas E. Kent, choir director.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN.

English Lutheran Church—Easter Sunday, 9:45 a. m. Sunday School, 11:00 a. m., sermon: "The Living Savior"; reception of members, celebration of Holy Communion; 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor, topic, "Our Victories Through Christ," 7:45 p. m., sermon: "The Compassionate Savior."

BROOKLYN PRESBYTERIAN.

The Easter music at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church next Sunday will be as follows: Morning—Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," anthem, "As It Began to Dawn," Vincent; tenor solo, "The Resurrection," Shelley; "Warren," alto solo, "Hallelujah, He is Risen," Neidlinger; anthem, "King All Glorious," Barnby; hymn, "Christ, the Lord, is Risen Today."

Evening—Hymn, "On Wings of Living Light," anthem, "As It Began to Dawn," Coombs; bass solo, "Easter Eve," Gounod; hymn, "Low in the Grave He Lay," soprano solo, "Hosanna," Granier; anthem, "Awake Up My Glory," Barnby; choir, "Hosanna," Jolly, soprano; Mrs. Rowlands, alto; Mr. Castell, bass; Dr. Gilbertson, tenor; Miss Nicholls, organist.

FIRST METHODIST ORGAN RECITAL.

Programme for organ recital, April 7; Sonata No. 4 in B flat, Mendelssohn, allegro con brio, andante religioso, allegretto, allegro maestoso e vivace, slow movement, Beethoven; from the piano forte sonata, opus 2, No. 2, Barcarolle, Sterndale Bennett; Nazareth, Gounod; arranged for organ by the performer; Finale (from Symphony in D), C. M. Vidor; "Antara," Deane Howard, Grier (from "Pee' Gint" suite, arranged for organ by the performer); andante, Ballade, menuet, Beethoven, arranged for organ by the performer; Improvisation on theme given at the time.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN.

Union Street Presbyterian Church, Union street, between Eleventh and Twelfth. Pastor, Rev. Dwight E. Potter. Easter services—11 a. m.: Organ prelude, "Gloria," Dupont; anthem, "Hail, Joyous Morn," Basset; offertory, "Come, See the Place, Road, the dawn, Bruehl; organ prelude, "Hallelujah," Handel; 7:30 p. m.: Organ, "Marche Religieuse," Benoit; anthem, "Crown Him," Blumenschein; offertory, "On the Shining Shore," Jules Jordan; anthem, "King All Glorious," Barnby; Squires; postlude, "Tannhauser Grand March," Members of choir: Sopranos—Mrs. A. J. Bradley, Mrs. M. M. Brown, Mrs. J. H. McK. Mrs. J. W. Aldrich, Miss Eva Williams, Miss Clara Pienberg, Miss Eva M. Ayres, Miss Blanche Butler, Miss E. West, Altos—Mrs. J. E. Whithead, Miss Loyce Howland, Miss M. Simpson, Mrs. J. E. Aldrich, Miss E. H. Ellis, Basses—A. J. Bradley, H. H. Gibben, Clyde Burntrager, R. Parker, George Politt, organist; W. J. Oakes, choir director.

CHURCH OF ADVENT.

Church of the Advent—Twelfth avenue and Eleventh street, the Rev. William Carson Shaw, rector; Mr. Lida Waldrop, organist and chorister. EASTER DAY MUSIC—MORNING. Processional hymn, "Christ is Risen," No. 113; "They Have Taken Away My Stone," John H. Strainer; "Lord's Prayer" and versicles; "Christ Our Passover," etc.; Proper Psalms, 2, 27, 121; first lesson, Exodus 12 to verse 29; "The Lamb," B. Tours, in key of F; second lesson, Matthew 25, "Jubilate Deo" (cantillation) in key of D; Gospel, "The Strife is Over," Lament 121; Communion service, by Berthold Tours, key of F; hymn, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today," No. 112; sermon, the rector; offertory anthem, "Break Forth into Joy" (J. Banley); recessional hymn, "At the Lamb's High Feast," No. 118. Organ recitals at close of evening service. Following are the numbers: "In Paradise," (Theo. Dubois); Prelude and Fugue in C minor, (Bach); "Question and Answer," (Wolstenholme); Finale in D (J. Lemmens).

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

St. John's Church—Eleventh and Grove streets, Rev. E. F. Gee, rector. Celebrations of Holy Communion at 7, 9 and 11 a. m. The music for Easter Day, 11 o'clock, a. m., at the high celebration is as follows: Solemn procession, "Hoc Dies," W. H. Webster; hymn, "Benediction," (St. John Strainer); Introit Psalm No. 146, (Gregorian) 6th Tone; "Kyrie Eleison" (St. John Strainer); sequence hymn, No. 118, "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing" (Salzburg); "Gloria, Tibi and Credo" (St. John Strainer); hymn, No. 112, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today" (Vorgan); offertory anthem, (a) "Why Seek To the Living" (P. Peel), (b) "I Am He That Liveth" (Caleb Simpson; "Sursum Corda" (Plain-song) (Cantus Solennis); Sanctus, Benedictus, Quasi Modestus; Del. Gloria in Excelsis (St. John Strainer); hymn of Adoration, No. 227, "O Saving Victim" (St. Vincent); recessional hymn, No. 121, "The Strife is Over" (Victory).

The Sunday School festival will be held in the evening at 7:30. The rector will deliver an address to the children and the story of the resurrection will be illustrated with the aid of stereopticon. The choir is under the direction of Prof. Gustav Albrecht, organist and choirmaster.

PULPIT THEMES.

Fourth Congregational Church—Corner of Grove and Thirty-sixth streets, Oakland, Rev. Frederic H. Maar, pastor. Easter Day: Special choir services both morning and evening.

Bishop William Ford Nichols will visit Trinity Church, this city, on Easter morning and will confirm a class and preach at the 11 o'clock service. Trinity Church—Telegraph avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Rev. Clinton Mason, rector. Easter Day services: 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning prayer, confirmation and Holy Communion; 3 p. m., children's service; 8:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon. Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church—224 Twentieth street near San Diego avenue, E. J. Lundegaard, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; subject for morning service, "The Resurrection of Christ," and for the evening, "The Easter Message," prayer and praise service at 7 p. m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 p. m.; Young People's meeting, Friday evening. Meeting for sailors, Thursday evening in the English language. Theological Society—Lecture at Theological Library Rooms, Hamilton Hall Building, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, at 8 p. m. Subject, "World Beyond the Senses." Speaker, Mr. Best. Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—Mag-nolia and Sixteenth streets, Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Lord's Supper, 11 a. m.; religion, 6:30 p. m.; preaching, 7:45 p. m.; J. M. Terry, pastor. First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school at the same hour. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Church of the New Thought—Maple Hall, Webster and Fourteenth streets, Sunday, 7:45 p. m. Subject, "Our Resurrection," Pastor, Sarah J. Watkins. First Unitarian Church—Fourteenth and Castro streets, Rev. George W. Stone, minister. Easter music and Easter services, 11 o'clock, a. m. Subject of sermon, "The Future Life." Music by chorus choir, D. P. Hughes, director. "The Watchers"—George D. White will speak at Adolph Hotel, 366 Ninth street, on Sunday, at 4 p. m. Subject, "The New Coming of Christ." Thirty-fourth Street Methodist Episcopal Church—Corner of Market street, Milton D. Burk, D.D., pastor. Morning service, "Easter," evening discourse, "Pure Hearts." Sunday school Easter service at 12:20 p. m. New Thought Institute—557 Clay street. Amateur Social tonight. Free to all. Chester Street M. E. Church—11 a. m. Easter services by the Sunday school. Special music by the choir, led by O'Brien Magnus Chorister. 7:30 p. m., Dr. Howard, editor Cultoria Advocate, will preach an Easter sermon. Special music by the choir. All welcome. Second Church of Christ, Scientist—352 East Sixteenth street, 11 a. m., Christian Science Bible lesson. Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Wednesday evening meeting at 8. First Congregational Church, Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor. Morning, an Easter sermon; evening, Easter choral service. 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WOMAN'S BUILDING WILL BE A BEAUTY.

ST. LOUIS, April 2.—The decorative scheme for the woman's building at the World's Fair has been announced by Miss Grace Lincoln Temple. Miss Temple states that the silk draperies and hangings for the salon had been donated. The silk, while of American make, represents a rich French design, and will serve as a background for the furniture of French Renaissance pattern, which will be installed in this room.

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BERKELEY, April 2.—Miss Virginia Pierce, the well known soprano soloist of this city, will take a leading part in "His Royal Nib," a musical comedy to be presented at the Macdonough Theater, April 29th, for the benefit of the Ladies' Relief Society of the Oakland Social Settlement.

A chorus of sixty voices will participate in the play, which was written by W. H. Clifford and Shatter Howard.

ABUSED DEPUTY SUBWAY WILL NOT AND WAS SHOT. BE READY.

MURDER COMMITTED IN COLO-RADO AND SOLDIERS GO TO THE SCENE.

GREAT UNDERGROUND TUNNEL CANNOT BE COMPLETED UNTIL FALL.

TELLURIDE, Colo., April 2.—Robert D. Meldrum, a deputy sheriff, has shot and killed a man named Thissel in the boarding house of the Telluride Gold Mines Company, in Savage Basin, five miles from here. Details are lacking. It is known that Thissel came in the room where Meldrum and several others were sitting and began using abusive language toward Meldrum. A moment later he struck Meldrum in the face with his fist. Meldrum drew his revolver and fired at Thissel, the bullet entering the latter's abdomen. He expired in a few moments. Manager John Herron, of the Tomboy mine, who is a member of Troop A, and a detail of soldiers were sent to the scene of the tragedy to arrest Meldrum.

Meldrum came here from Wyoming two years ago. He has held a commission as a deputy sheriff and has been on guard duty almost continually in the city and at the mines. He came to the assistance of several children who were murdered by a man named Collins of the Smuggler-Union Company. Since the strike started he has been doing guard duty at the Tomboy.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Although there is more religion in the world than ever before, there is less in proportion to the need that exists; consequently, according to Rev. Montague Geer, the world has not become a whit better since the crucifixion of Christ. This sentiment was expressed by the Rev. Mr. Geer while conducting services in St. Paul's Chapel. The church had done their full duty, he declared, there would have been no war in the Far East. The two nations now at odds were, he asserted, the "undisciplined business of the church."

AUSTRIAN TROOPS READY.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The third corps of the Austrian army is prepared to leave here at any moment for Ragusa on the Adriatic, according to a World dispatch from Trieste, Austria. Six steamers are ready to take the soldiers on board should a call be made for their services.

It is declared in Trieste that this is really a critical moment in the Balkans, where, until now, snow has prevented active operations. Should the third corps be moved it will be landed at the most convenient port of transport to the Macedonian front. The soldiers are exercising in carrying baggage to the docks and back to the arsenal.

ORE POOL MAY BE DISSOLVED.

NEW YORK, April 2.—It is probable, according to the Journal of Commerce, that the ore association meeting which was scheduled to be held April 7 will be postponed and the so-called pool be dissolved.

In the past attempts have been made repeatedly to reach an agreement on the part of the different interests, but all have practically failed in the end and it has been apparent for some time that differences of opinion regarding prices have been widening between the large steel companies and the merchant ore operators.

Conferences are expected to be held in this city next week of leading manufacturers of steel billets and steel plates. It is possible that other interests who are affiliated with the trade will also be present and that present prices will be reaffirmed.

MR. OSBORNE WILL LECTURE.

J. B. Osborne will lecture at Socialist Headquarters, 405 Eighth street, Oakland, on Sunday evening, April 3 at 8 p. m. His subject will be, "Socialism, the Art of the Twentieth Century." The public is invited.

NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

MAY HAVE TO MODIFY SCHOLARSHIPS.

Stipulations of the Cecil Rhodes' Bequests Cannot Be Fully Met at the State University.

BERKELEY, April 2.—Modifications of the requirements for the Rhodes Oxford Scholarship now seem imperative. Stipulations laid down by the Rhodes trustees are proving too much and at the University of California at least they are bound to suffer more or less change. To ask that a man shall have the necessary scholastic, social, athletic and moral qualifications combined, that are now laid down in the suggestions sent out to the different colleges is requiring almost an impossibility. Very few men at Berkeley know enough of Greek and Latin to pass the Oxford responses or matriculation examinations.

Generally such classical students are not notable as athletes. They may or may not be student leaders. It will be hard to find one man in the whole University who can fill the bill.

This point has been noted and taken advantage of by a number of graduates and out of the seven men who have announced their candidacy for the coveted scholarship, a majority are alumni of from two to three years' standing. This preponderance of graduates applying for the plum is significant. It means practically this, that the demands made by the Trustees will be better met by mature men than by immature undergraduates. Full mature men are not wanted, if the spirit of Cecil Rhodes' will is properly interpreted. Cecil Rhodes evidently wanted men whose academic and physical training were still incomplete. He wanted these young Americans to go to Oxford before the completion of their college course and there at the great English University round out their education. The ideal Rhodes scholar should be a man in the Sophomore year just barely out of his teens. He should have demonstrated this early in his college career that he had the makings of an all-round University man.

The men who stand the best chance, perhaps of carrying off the prize from one to three years' standing as graduates. They have been out of college, engaged in business for some time and may rightfully be regarded as matured. It is a serious question whether they will not prove too mature

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E. NEWHOUSE LAID TO HIS REST.

REMAINS BROUGHT TO DECOTO FROM FRESNO FOR INTERMENT.

DECOTO, April 2.—The remains of Edward Newhouse were shipped here from Fresno on Tuesday and buried by the Masons of this place. Newhouse formerly lived at Livingston and was well known throughout the valley by old residents.

MRS. MAY IMPROVING.
Mrs. Henry May, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

DAIRY SHIPS MILK.
The Jackson & Granger Dairy Company shipped its first lot of milk to San Francisco on Monday. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company erected a platform to receive and ship milk cans for the Jackson & Granger Co.

SCHOOL CLOSED.
The public school of this place was closed for one week's vacation on account of the teachers' institute, which is in session in Oakland.

PERSONALS.
Miss May Haynes went to Oakland on Monday to attend the teachers' institute at that place.

L. B. Freeman went to San Francisco Monday on business.

Miss Nona Hibbard is spending her vacation in Livermore.

I. R. Aken went to San Francisco on Saturday of last week.

Roy Reed visited his brother, of this place, recently.

Miss Helen Crane, of Oakland, visited her aunt, Mrs. Fred Myers, on Friday of last week.

Mrs. E. P. Thorndike went to San Francisco on Saturday of last week.

Chris Runckle, the principal of the school of this place, went to Oakland Monday to attend the teachers' institute.

Edward Whipple went to San Francisco on Tuesday.

P. L. Peterson was a recent visitor in San Francisco.

L. C. Frances, of Centerville, visited this place Sunday.

Mrs. George R. Young visited her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Nurnberg, of Centerville, on Friday of last week.

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DEAN OF CHURCH DEAD.
NEW YORK, April 2.—The Rev. Fernin Jovene, dean of the Catholic Church here, is dead, says a Panama dispatch to the Herald. He was 80 years old.

GEOLOGISTS OUT ON TRIP.

PROF. A. C. LAWSON TAKES STUDENTS ON AN ANNUAL OUTING.

BERKELEY, April 2.—Professor A. C. Lawson and fifty riding students of the University of California have departed for Grass Valley to spend ten days in practical work in surface geology. Professor Lawson, who is noted for his walking abilities, will lead the students in long cross-country trips.

During these trips the geological surface of the country will be studied. Professor Lawson is a firm believer in practical experience for his men and never fails to take them on a yearly outing.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTS NEW DIRECTORS.

BERKELEY, April 2.—The following five new members have been added to the board of directors of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A.:

H. R. Braden, James O. Davenport, Calvin Dyster Sr., Frank Sadler and Thomas Dodge. The other members of the board are: President William H. Waste, Ernest S. Sage, Leo S. Rogers, S. D. Waterman, J. C. Ford and James L. Barker.

The resignation of Rev. C. K. Jenness was respectfully accepted and he was given a vote of thanks for his services. The various reports submitted showed that the association was in a prosperous condition.

CHEMISTRY FIENDS NOMINATE OFFICERS.

BERKELEY, April 2.—The Chemistry Fiends Association of the University of California have nominated the following officers for the ensuing term:

Arch. Wend, Miss Ethel Jones; custodian of the coffee pot, Miss Harriet Smythe and Miss Ruby Wade; scribe to friend, Miss Elizabeth Willson. The election will be formally gone through with in two weeks.

The organization, which exists principally for social purposes, will hold a reception Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the Chemistry building. Arrangements have been made to hold a midnight walk to Wildcat canyon.

VEHICLES GO OVER OUT FOR AGRICULTURAL BUILDING.

DOCTOR HAS NARROW ESCAPE IN ACCIDENT CAUSED BY RAINS.

BERKELEY, April 2.—Two accidents happened on the tunnel road yesterday as a result of the recent rains. A doctor who was making his round of calls was thrown out of his buggy when it tipped over on a place in the road where the rains had washed the embankment away. The doctor received only slight injuries and drove away before his name could be learned.

An old couple also met with a mishap on the road yesterday in the same manner as befell the physician. They were thrown out of their vehicle, but escaped injuries.

The accidents are reported by A. C. Wright, who took mail over yesterday to the ranches in Contra Costa county. Owing to the blockade of the new tunnel for the past week, it has been impossible to make regular deliveries of mail. Wright, who owns a dairy farm just over the range, carried the mail by a circuitous route over the hills.

EXTENSION COURSE PROVES SUCCESSFUL.

BERKELEY, April 2.—As the recent University extension course given by Professor H. Morse Stephens under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute of San Francisco was successful beyond all expectation, it is now proposed to continue the work next season. Toward this end a meeting is called for next Tuesday evening, when the subject for the course will be selected. Professor Stephens presents topics for consideration as follows: "The Revolution of 1848," "The English in India" and "The History of Writing History."

Professor Stephens states that he expects to arrange for a series of lectures by Professor Garrick M. Borden on "The History of Chemistry," University College, London; A. C. Coolidge, professor of history, Harvard; Hugo de Vries, professor of botany at Amsterdam.

Samuel Stow Will Speak at Sacramento on Behalf of State University Organization.

BERKELEY, April 2.—Samuel Stow, president of the Agricultural College of the State University, has been selected by the members of that organization as a delegate to deliver an address in behalf of the agricultural college before the meeting of the State agricultural promoters at Sacramento, on April 15th.

According to reports received at the University, the people of the State have felt more than the graving demand for the establishment of a new agricultural center, where experiments for the promoting of agricultural produce might be practiced for the State's advantage. They have recently realized the good work done by the University Agricultural College, although the experimental work there has been greatly hindered by lack of accommodation. Although Stow's address is to be principally upon the Agricultural College, he will dwell especially upon the pressing demands of the State for experimental work there has been great accommodations at the University, which prevents the completion of these experiments. He will also speak of real college life, the true meaning of the college man, and how he is misjudged in the general opinion of the public.

The lecture will be before the most prominent men of the State, and it is believed that by conveying the true meaning of the University to these men the institution may be elevated in the opinion of the public, and that it may receive the most ardent support from the people of the State.

Before concluding his address Stow will refer to the agitation for an agricultural building, in the hope that resolutions may be passed favorable to the project.

STUCK BY LOCAL TRAIN.

AGED COLORED MAN HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

BERKELEY, April 2.—A colored man named Cal Ewing, who claims to be a veteran of the Civil war, was struck by a light engine near Adelphi station last night, while crossing the tracks in a light vehicle.

Ewing was thrown quite a distance and was picked up unconscious. He was subsequently removed to the Receiving Hospital in Oakland, where it was found that his wounds consisted merely of a scalp laceration. The rig Ewing was driving was demolished but the horse was unhurt. Ewing is 60 years of age and resides at Sixty-third street and Telegraph avenue.

STUDENTS VISIT THE WATER WORKS.

BERKELEY, April 2.—A large party of students, members of the Civil Engineering Association of the University of California, visited the Contra Costa Water Company's big dam and filter plant at Lake Chabot today.

The party left the corner of Thirtieth and Broadway, in Oakland, shortly after 8 o'clock and returned at 2 o'clock.

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WILL GIVE A DANCE.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB OF ELMHURST WILL ENTER TAIN.

ELMHURST, April 2.—At a regular meeting of the Elmhurst Improvement Club, held Thursday evening in the office of the Elmhurst Lumber Company, it was decided to give a dance on the evening of May 7. The affair will be given in Red Men's Hall.

Dr. W. F. Lynch will act as floor director. He will be assisted by W. H. Higgins, J. J. O'Toole and F. H. Olson.

The arrangement committee is made up of C. S.

MUCH interest is being taken by the Druids of Elmhurst over the picnic to be given by the organization July 31.

The committee of arrangements consists of H. A. Cramer, chairman; C. Wederman, Olaus Engstrand, George Rodfiter and Robert Rodfiter. The picnic will be in the San Lorenzo grove.

On Wednesday, April 13, the lodge will nominate officers. The election will be held on April 27. The three delegates to the Grand Grove, which meets in Santa Cruz June 12 to 15, will be chosen at the first meeting of the lodge in May.

SMALL FIRE.
The engine and heating house of the Japanese nursery at Moss avenue was destroyed by fire Thursday at 4 p. m. The engine house was some distance from the main house and therefore the fire did not spread. Atomo Kimo had his right hand burnt in fighting the fire.

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BALL SEASON OPENS.

FANS AT HAYWARDS ARE ANXIOUS OVER THE FIRST GAME.

HAYWARDS, April 2.—Tomorrow afternoon the Haywards baseball season will open. The original Red Monte team will play the W. P. Fuller representatives of San Francisco.

It is expected that the local team will play a quite simple game. As the visiting team have the reputation of being nimble the Fans are looking forward with interest to the game.

Hayward's best pitcher, Johnson, catcher, Wullen, first base, Panten, second base, Hess, third base, La Cuna, short stop, Van Tine, center field, Rodgers, right field.

Fuller's—Carter, pitcher; Bloom, catcher; Wullen, first base; De Silva, second base; Van Tine, third base; O'Connor, short stop; Foley, left field; Wagner, center field.

complaints on account of the field, as it is center field.

ELECTED DELEGATES.
J. W. McCoy, Ned Thorndyke and J. P. Brandon were elected delegates from Haywards Court of Foresters to the Grand Court, which convenes in Hanford some time next month.

The election of delegates precipitated a warm, heated situation in the lodge rooms before the election was finally made.

Joe Woods was initiated into the court. Varies service by the lodge was a decorated banquet. Visitors were present from Court U. S. and Mt. Diablo.

GUN ARRIVES.
Congressman Victor H. Metcalf has presented the town of Hayward with a cannon captured during the Spanish-American war. The gun arrived from the Presidio late Friday afternoon. The gun will be placed in front of the Carnegie library building.

EASTER SERVICES.
Sunday Easter services will be held in the Congregational Church. Special music will be rendered by the choir in the morning.

In the evening there will be an Easter praise service by the quartette and the Sunday school children.

CATHOLIC SERVICES.
At All Saints church Sunday there will be warm masses, at 5:30, 7 and 8, and solemn high mass at 10 a. m.

which consists of Miss Ida Valera, soprano; Mrs. John Robinson, alto; Frank Valera, tenor; Thomas Jacques, basso; will render "Miserere" Mass in G.

feratory music, "Regina Caeli," by W. Finkler; "Benedictus," by G. Finkler; will be sung by Miss Ida Valera and Frank Valera.

The sermon will be preached by Rev. Father Lev. Solemn benediction will take place after mass. The church will be beautifully decorated for the services.

CUSTOM HOUSE TO BE CLOSED.
VLADIVOSTOK, April 2.—Twelve of the customs officers at Vladivostok have been withdrawn and sent to Irkutsk. This is the first step in the direction of closing the custom house here because of the poor trade prospects in consequence of the war.

It is expected here that Vladivostok will be declared a free port after the conclusion of war.

MRS. G. M. WRIGHT IMPROVING.

FRUITVALE DOCTORS REMOVE FUNGUS GROWTH FROM BRAIN.

FRUITVALE, April 2.—Mrs. G. M. Wright, of Alameda had a tumor removed from her brain at the Fabiola Hospital Thursday afternoon. The delicate operation was performed by Drs. J. M. Shannon and J. H. Callon. The tumor was trephined in order to remove the fungus growth. The tumor when removed weighed six ounces.

Mrs. Wright had been suffering from severe headaches for months and was unable to locate the cause. Having investigated all ordinary known causes that might cause such excruciating pain without any result, the patient decided to undergo the operation in search of the cause. The operation was a success from all standpoints of surgery. The patient is resting easy and is on the road to recovery.

WOODMEN TO ENTERTAIN.
Fruitvale, Camp, Woodmen of the World, are planning an entertainment to be given some time during the month of May. The exact date has not been set as yet.

The committee on arrangements are: J. B. Briggs, chairman; R. H. Blake, Jr., R. H. Galloway, Dr. R. A. Huntington and S. Nielsen.

MUCH IMPROVED.
John Galloway, the small boy that was run over by a coal wagon, is much improved. He was removed from the Fabiola Hospital to his home Friday afternoon.

The younger Mormons should lose no time in setting a good example to their elders.—Washington Star.

MEETS WITH HARD FALL.

MRS. J. LUND MAKES MISSTEP AND RECEIVES SHAKING UP.

EMERYVILLE, April 2.—Mrs. J. Lund, who resides at 961 Sixt-first street, met with an accident while attempting to alight from an Oakland bound car on San Pablo avenue yesterday. The accident occurred at 12:19 o'clock at the corner of Thirty-ninth and San Pablo. She suffered a severe shock and her back was injured. She was taken to her home in an ambulance and was reported to be somewhat improved late in the afternoon. The injuries will not result seriously and are not of a serious nature.

BANQUET TO ORSEMENT.
The statement made that the farewell banquet to be given by the Foresters April 16 to their delegate to Hanford is incorrect. The banquet will be tendered to the departing horse men, members of the order, who will soon leave for the Eastern race tracks.

LETTERS AT POSTOFFICE.
The letters remaining unclaimed for at the Emeryville postoffice to April 1st are posted as follows: Andy Cole, Fred Deakman, Mrs. Charles G. Davis (8), W. L. Jefferson, Willie Jefferson, John Malone, James Morrison, John Rainy, N. Reed, Mrs. Hulda M. Rowland, Mrs. V. Taylor, P. N. Taylor, a letter to Dr. Twiford and George O. Wade. The letters will be held until the last of this month and if still unclaimed will be sent to the dead letter office.

DRAIN SERV.
Surveying is being done for the construction of the drain sewer which is for the purpose of draining all North Oakland. Excavations have been made as far as Harlan street. The drain will serve for all north of Thirty-sixth street.

NOTES.
Work on the new depot is being rapidly completed.

The building erected by Mr. Mayburn is now being painted.

The building election will be held April eleventh.

Tomorrow the bartenders will hold a grand picnic at Shell Island.

COMMENCE MOVING SCHOOL BUILDING.

BERKELEY, April 2.—Actual work of moving the old High School building on Center street was begun this morning by a force of men under the supervision of Contractor Grant. The building will be turned around and made to face Allston way. It will also be set farther back on the lot so that an office building may be placed on the Center street frontage.

SCRATCH CAUSED DEATH.
BLOOMFIELD, N. J., April 2.—Mrs. Francis Dannbacher is dead here from blood poisoning. While celebrating her seventy-first birthday recently she received a bouquet of roses and scratched her finger on a thorn. Blood poisoning followed.

SPECIAL EASTER SERVICES.

MISS BELL MCCOY OF SAN FRANCISCO WILL SING GOUNOD'S "AVE MARIA."

SAN LEANDRO, April 2.—Special Easter services will be given tomorrow evening at the Park Hotel. The choir augmented by the senior Sabbath school will render the morning services. Evening services will be by senior and junior Sabbath school.

Miss Bell McCoy will sing Gounod's "Ave Maria," with flute obligato by Robert Kinsley. The services give promise to be the best held in San Leandro for years.

TRANSFERRED TO NAPA.
G. W. McLaughlin, local agent of the Southern Pacific Company, has been transferred to Napa. J. Collins has succeeded him.

HUNTER'S INN LEASED.
George Lowe has leased the Hunter's Inn at Estudero avenue, from John H. Ravakes. Mr. Lowe has been in the cigar business in Berkeley for some years. The property may have some improvements in the property.

CUT OFF FINGER.
George Smiley cut off the little finger of his right hand Friday afternoon. The finger was severed by a hole in a cylinder.

Dr. C. H. Miller was called to attend the injured man.

The Suburban Electric Light Company put a large arc electric light in the Portuguese hall this week.

Joseph Phillips purchased three acres of the Williams property on Freda street, from Dr. G. H. Herrick.

John De Matos and family have moved into the Oliver cottage on Dahar street, which he purchased two weeks ago from Mr. Oliver.

BOYS ACQUITTED.

CHICAGO, April 2.—The three Polish boys who two weeks ago set fire to the Holden Public School, destroying it, have been released by Judge Tuthill. He held none was old enough to know the extent of his wrong-doing.

The mothers of the boys, unable to speak English, cried as they thanked the judge for freeing their sons.

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STUCK BY LOCAL TRAIN.

AGED COLORED MAN HAS A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

BERKELEY, April 2.—A colored man named Cal Ewing, who claims to be a veteran of the Civil war, was struck by a light engine near Adelphi station last night, while crossing the tracks in a light vehicle.

Ewing was thrown quite a distance and was picked up unconscious. He was subsequently removed to the Receiving Hospital in Oakland, where it was found that his wounds consisted merely of a scalp laceration. The rig Ewing was driving was demolished but the horse was unhurt. Ewing is 60 years of age and resides at Sixty-third street and Telegraph avenue.

STUDENTS VISIT THE WATER WORKS.

BERKELEY, April 2.—A large party of students, members of the Civil Engineering Association of the University of California, visited the Contra Costa Water Company's big dam and filter plant at Lake Chabot today.

The party left the corner of Thirtieth and Broadway, in Oakland, shortly after 8 o'clock and returned at 2 o'clock.

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ON THE DIAMOND.
The Bonnes and Oakland High met in baseball practice yesterday.

NEW GATES ARRIVED.
The long arms which will be used for the crossing have arrived and are being near the tracks. Work will probably be hurried along now that fair weather seems to be on the way.

Congress is wasting time in calling the attention of Attorney General Knox to the high price of beef. He probably had that information long ago and toward some time ago.—Washington Post.

P. I. Ingraham is spending his vacation at the home of his brother, Earl Ingraham, in this town.

The Misses Stella and Florence Graham attended the funeral of Mr. Barley of San Jose, this week.

Mrs. F. T. Stevenson and Mrs. Geo. Wales took a trip to San Jose on Thursday of this week.

GIVEN AN EXTRA WEEK OF VACATION.

BERKELEY, April 2.—School work will not be resumed at the Berkeley Commercial School until Monday, April 11, owing to the delay in the moving of the school building around on Allston Way. Contractor Grant and his men have been unable to work on account of the stormy weather.

TO RECOGNIZE OUR SCHOOLS.
United States Minister Leishman has CONSTANTINOPLE, April 2.—United States Minister Leishman has had a special interview with Foreign Minister Tewfik Pasha on the subject of the official recognition of the American schools, hospitals and charitable institutions in Turkey. Mr. Leishman urged the Foreign Minister for a speedy settlement of the matter, demanding that those American establishments be given the same status as is granted to similar institutions of other powers.

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The Players

ment three, four, six times in succession, enjoying it more each time.

The first seats reserved for her engagement at the Macdonough next for five nights and three matinees beginning next Wednesday, April 6, were eight sold to a well-known lady who is interested in psychology and mental telepathy. She was the first person at the box office when the reserved seat sale opened, and she purchased a seat in the front row for every one of the eight performances.

"Why don't you take your friends

the characteristic habits of the people that conformed to it.

ROSE COGHAN.

Rose Coghlan will appear at the Macdonough soon in "The Greatest Thing in the World"—which is love. Miss Coghlan, as Virginia Bryant, a devoted mother who saves her reckless son even at the risk of her own fortune and happiness, is said to excel in dramatic intensity, her superb performance of "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," and in "Ulysses," at the Garden Theater, New York.

THE HOLY CITY.

"The Holy City" will be the next play presented at Ye Liberty Playhouse. It will undoubtedly create a mild sensation. It has been called "bold" in treatment, yet the highest

see him; by the results which he accomplishes; the turning of Barabbas the robber chief into a penitent; the rescue from sin of Mary Magdalene; but that is all. And the effectiveness with which this is done is one of the highest evidences of the writer's art.

As a result we have a revelation of what with the accessories available in these modern days, may yet be accomplished when the drama shall become, as it once was, an interpreter of religion. The reverent worshiper of Jesus Christ, who would at first shrink at the writer of this review, from witnessing the story of that divine life presented from behind the footlights, need not hesitate to attend this performance, as presented by Mr. Neill and his company. The whole atmosphere is one of quiet reverence and some of the scenes are remarkably beautiful. The theatre has frequently been denounced, and too often with justice, for introducing feid productions. Here is the purest of all pure stories told without a touch of irreverence, and in such a manner as to interest and often thrill the tentative audience. And here is our opportunity. Let us condemn when we must, but let us commend when we can.

MRS. FISKE'S PLAYING.

At the Grand Opera House, Mrs. Fiske has achieved an instantaneous success with her remarkable performance of "Hedda Gabler." She is declared to give "one of the greatest performances of the twentieth century," and to be "the real Hedda." During the week, she will be seen in three different roles, each showing a distinct phase of her art. On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

bats, gymnasts and equilibrists, men of marvelous, magnificent and mighty muscle whose dauntless daring and seemingly impossible feats in mid-air make everyone still their breath until the feat is accomplished and then burst into one shout of applause and appreciation. For instance, the Bel-ford, a group of six, perform high above the heads of the crowd. It is called "a casting act" and consists of two of the members hanging head downwards from the top of the tent and the other members of the troupe thrown with giant swings, double and triple somersaults between the men suspended head downwards. It is surely a wonderful accomplishment and one never before attempted in this country. It is but one of the many marvels of this complete circus.

PEX THEATER.

Pex stock company was well received this week and will appear again in an entirely new cast in the near future. While the entire list of local playhouses were running full force this week the attendance at Pex was all the more could accommodate.

Miss Rankin's clever skit, a scene which no artist can paint, comes in for much applause and is of no small merit. Mozart pleases with his endless assortment of musical contrivances and is possessed of considerable genius with the ability to transform inanimate wood into instruments giving forth harmony.

Circelone has captured Oakland, both by his clever acrobatic feats and winning ways. This is the third week of this star number on the program.

Home talent is by no means despised if there is any ability shown. The Hyde sisters have won applause at each performance. When a few months of experience are added to their theatrical ventures they will have few peers on the vaudeville stage.

Some indication of the numbers attending the pioneer 10-cent show house during rainy weather is gained from the fact that the Lester Birch benefit last Tuesday evening inaugurated by THE TRIBUNE netted the widowed mother \$124.05.

Change or bill Monday at Pex.

THE LYRIC.

The bill this week all the way through at the Lyric is a good one. The audiences are increasing all the time and this theatre is now recognized as giving one of the best vaudeville shows in this part of the country for the price of admission. The bill is entirely changed once a week. The program for next week will be up to the usual high standard and the



ANNA EVA FAY, WHO WILL BE SEEN AT THE MACDONOUGH.

"The Hills of California," with Frank Bacon and his own company, was the attraction at the Macdonough Theater last night. It is an excellent rural play of this State and the company producing it is as good as the play. Frank Bacon as Uncle Amos Hill easily carries off the honors of the piece and is certainly a good comedian. The rest of the company fits in nicely and carry the piece with a good deal of go. Russell Read, an Oakland boy (son of Attorney George W. Reed) enacts the part of Philip Becker with a great deal of realism. A bright future is in store in his chosen profession. The play is on at the Macdonough again tonight for the last time here.

MARY MANNERING MONDAY.

Much more than ordinary interest is shown in the coming engagement of that delightful and charming actress, Mary Manning, who is to present her latest success, "Harriet's Honeymoon," a modern comedy in three acts by Leo Ditrichstein in this city. "Harriet's Honeymoon" is described as being one of the few genuine successes of the present season. It was one of the few really big "hits" in New York City, and in Boston, Philadelphia, and in all of the larger Eastern cities in which the comedy has been presented. It has met with a most cordial reception. The lines are bright and sparkling, the complications and situations amusing in the extreme, while the central role, Harriet Baird, a young American bride on her honeymoon trip, offers Miss Manning exceptional opportunities for the display of her well-known artistic skill. There are three acts in the comedy, the locale being a small German watering place and the theme is mistaken identity.

Mary Manning is generally conceded to be one of the most beautiful as well as talented actresses on the American stage at the present time, and she is in great favor with the amusement lovers. Her company this season is said to be an exceptionally strong one, and includes such well-known players as Arthur Byron, one of the best leading men now playing, who has the opposite part to the star; Thomas A. Wise, Louis Massen, Henry Kolker, Adolph Jackson, Kate Lester, Little Hall, Emma Janvier and many other well-known players. The engagement of Mary Manning in "Harriet's Honeymoon" is for next Monday and Tuesday evenings, April 4 and 5.

ANNA EVA FAY COMING.

One of the interesting features of Miss Anna Eva Fay's entertainment of "Somnolency" is the strength with which her performance grows on the intelligent observer. What other stage entertainment is there which one would care to attend on two or more successive evenings? The cleverest farce, the most tuneful comedy, the strongest drama, the most powerful tragedy, fall if seen too often. The action fails to interest as soon as one knows exactly what is coming next. But Miss Fay's entertainment is always different. There is a change of bill every night, as it were. There is always something doing. One never knows exactly what is coming. "Somnolency" is a continuous series of expected surprises. It is this fact that attracts people to attend Miss Fay's entertain-

MARY MANNERING, WHO WILL PLAY AT THE MACDONOUGH NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS.

together, instead of sending them one at a time," asked an acquaintance. "I'm not going to have a box party," she replied. "I'm going myself every night and to the matinee, too. I saw Miss Fay four times last year and she always had something new and interesting to say. This year I don't intend to miss anything."

ANNA HELD SOON.

Anna Held and her big company, in her latest success, "Mademoiselle Napoleon," which is described as the most gorgeous and sensational musical comedies of the decade will be an early attraction at the Macdonough Theater. It will be seen here for two nights directly after the San Francisco engagement.

MRS. FISKE COMING.

In "Mary of Magdala," Paul Heyse's historical and romantic drama of life in Jerusalem under Roman government, Mrs. Fiske will be seen at the Macdonough Theater on Friday, April 22. Every care has been taken to set forth pictures, animals and inanimate of the period and the place of the story. The scenes of this drama are such that both the general aspect of Jerusalem and the manners of private life are graphically illustrated. The very different habits of the Romans, who were in possession of the government of the city by right of sword, and those of the Jews, who submitted perforce to the domination while cherishing this distinctive habit and secretly working for deliverance, are shown. One of the scenes in the play pictures a public square in Jerusalem that gives an idea of the peculiar architecture and

church authorities have given it their hearty commendation as will be seen in the letter of the Rev. George Thomas Dowling which follows:

This extraordinary poetical drama of the New Testament received its first production in Philadelphia where it was an immediate success. The author, Thomas W. Broadhurst, has published his play in book form, a course not only justified by its great literary interest, but also by the necessity of preparing the public in some degree for the acceptance of so rare a conception.

"The Holy City" does not resemble any of the plays which have to do with the conversion of Mary the Magdalene. The parading presence of the Master is only felt and not seen. His words are constantly upon the lips of the various characters. The conversion of Mary, the re-appearance of Lazarus, the repentance of Mary, the trial before Pilate, the denial of Peter, and the betrayal by Judas, the crucifixion and the resurrection are vividly portrayed. Aside from the boldness and beauty will undoubtedly be conceded. The play is written in blank verse throughout, rising in many passages to real poetic fervor and always vibrant with dramatic force.

The author, Thomas W. Broadhurst, has shown that he understands the power of reserve. He knows, not only what should be said and done, but also what should neither be done nor said. The action revolves about the closing days of Jesus' life in Jerusalem. It was a felicitous experiment; and if the author had attempted to have introduced a presentation of the Lord Himself, his effort would not have survived the opening night. But while He is the central figure He never appears. He is described by those who seem to

WALTER KERRICK, THE FAVORITE ILLUSTRATED SINGER WHO IS NOW APPEARING AT THE NOVELTY THEATER.

evenings, the offering will be far from the offering by Mrs. Oscar Baringer's quaint and charming playlet "A Bit of Old Chelsea."

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday matinee, Ibsen's "A Doll's House" will be substituted for "Divorcee" while "A Bit of Chelsea" will continue the curtain raiser. Of equal interest and power with "Hedda Gabler," "A Doll's House" deals with another phase of life, and shows again how vividly Ibsen pictures human nature. It is the play in which Mrs. Fiske's genius for dramatic acting was first revealed, and her characterization of Nora Helmer, the child wife is an exquisite dramatic work, disclosing all the variations of the complex character. Mrs. Fiske's admirable company will be seen to advantage in the three plays.

KOLB AND DILL.

Kolb and Dill, Barney Bernarl, Winfield Blake, Maude Amber, Hope and Emerson, and the entire company, which will shortly go to Australia, will play a farewell season of two weeks at the Grand Opera House, beginning Sunday matinee, April 17. Their opening bill will be "Tolity," one of their greatest successes. Popular prices will prevail.

FISCHER'S THEATER.

The throng which crowded Fischer's Theater last Monday evening and every night since more than enjoyed the laughable and sparkling little comedy, "Kismet." With the prettiest chorus of the year, and most elaborate stage mountings yet seen at Fischer's, and costumed with richness and elegance, the piece scores an immediate hit. Mr. Carroll, the author of "Kismet," and who found quick favor with the audience at this house, is one of the brightest stars who has ever appeared here. The libretto of the play is by Richard F. Carroll, and the music by Gustav Kerker. Its comedy is of notably high order, its wit is keen and its music is both sparkling and unusually tuneful, while the entire performance in every detail is above unfavorable criticism.

"Kismet" will run only for two weeks as the theater must close to make the contemplated improvements. There will be a new, large modern theater when it reopens, due notice of which will be given in the papers.

NORRIS AND ROWE'S SHOW.

The big special feature of the Norris and Rowe Greater Shows that will exhibit here two days commencing Monday, April 11, is the astounding array of acrobats and active acro-

admission is never higher than one dime. There are performances every afternoon and two evening shows.

AT THE NOVELTY.

Colonel Lubelski really deserves credit for the fine show he framed up for this week's program. When one considers that the price of admission is only 10 cents he wonders how the management of the Novelty Theater can afford to produce such high class entertainments. One and one-quarter hours of solid fun and entertainment and not a mediocre act in it.

The Harrison Bros' funny sketch puts the house in an uproar. Walter Jones, the female impersonator, takes his part so well that up to the time that he changes his voice and removes his headgear you are sure he is a man. He is the genuine woman that he represents. Ward and Ward give a talking and singing sketch that is very entertaining. Likewise do Stanley and Scamion in their musical act. By way of variety this week Walter Kerrick sings a beautiful ballad entitled "King of Eternal" in place of his usual illustrated song.

For next week Al Hazard, world-renowned ventriloquist, heads the bill. Newell and Goldie will furnish part of the fun-making for the week in one of their very popular comic sketches. The Rapiers will also make their first appearance in this part of the country and entertain with grotesque singing and dancing. Robert Nome in a musical act and the popular little Starr sisters are also on the bill. Walter Kerrick, as usual, will render a beautiful song with the latest illustrations, and the moving pictures will be one that will interest everybody, both young and old.

Don't forget the price never changes, 10 cents to all parts of the house, and the aim of the management is to take good care of the ladies and children at the matinees. Next Friday afternoon the entire receipts will be donated by Colonel Lubelski to the Ella M. Birch fund when a rousing bill will be specially presented. Mr. Lubelski is always to the front in a case like this. It is not the first time he has shown his liberality. He is personally making special efforts to make this occasion an unprecedented success.

THE BELL.

The immense crowds that have attended the performances of the Bell Theater this week, both at the day and evening performances, show the growing popularity of this favorite playhouse. The class of artists appearing at this house are among the best in the business and the public did not take long to learn. When they go to the Bell they know that good shows is in store for them. There is always an entire change of program every Monday, which includes new pictures and one of the latest illustrated songs. This house has made many friends by its action in coming forward and assisting the worthy fund for the benefit of Mrs. Ella M. Birch, a handsome sum having been realized at the performances yesterday. The matinees at this house are always thronged by ladies and children and the management is making a feature of the day shows, exhibiting their efforts in this direction bearing fruit. Bell Matinees are becoming a common phrase in household circles.

THE OLD QUESTION.

It has often been said, and it was supposed quite properly, that for children in reformatories, orphan's homes, houses for friendless children, and the like, it is a good thing to be trained (among other trades) for housework, because there is always a demand for girls that know how to do housework. If only fairly well, while the higher grades are full at all times, and it is more difficult for the friendless, with none to help them, to avail themselves of these better opportunities. An exchange says such suggestions seem to have quite affronted Superintendent R. A. Somn of the Hebrew orphan's home of Atlanta, Ga., who says:

"Of course, building as we do on the public road, we have many masters. It is impossible to suit everybody. Only this will I say in answer to voices that have reached my ear: This home was not founded with a view to becoming a sort of intelligence bureau. It will never be that with my connivance. The authorities have placed me here with the injunction to be a father to these children. I mean to be it. It is a safe standard to go by. As I make sacrifices to insure the health, the morality, the learning and the prosperity of my own, so will I exert myself to procure them for others. I am perfectly familiar with a firm belief in the proverb 'Arbeit schenket reichthum.' And yet I would move heaven and earth before planning for my own son or my daughter the career of a mendicant. Shall I then waver? Shall I trample the golden rule under foot? Perish the thought. Higher education is opposed in certain quarters, ostensibly because the gifted child does not need it, and the dull one does not get it. We must not forget, however, that when nature gives talent she only furnishes raw material. Our abilities are worth much more little, according to the way we develop them. Training counts as much as endowment. The world today is looking for people whose natural ability has been thoroughly cultivated and there are more openings of this description than there are workers to fill them. That is not to say that our girls, for instance, are not learning and sharing all domestic duties. They certainly do and there is no room for complaint on that score. But our critics, I fear, are they are in favor of domesticity."

WOMEN AND THE THEATER.

Avowedly women are both directly and indirectly the best friend of the theatrical manager. If he can please the feminine portion of his audience he is tolerably sure of success for when a woman likes a play she induces her men folk to go to it. This being so, ought not women to be specially considered in all places of entertainment? But it is precisely on the opposite lines that the manager commonly proceeds. Men are encouraged to push and squeeze past and disturb and inconvenience ladies between the acts because smoking rooms are provided for them in most theaters; women, on the other hand, are expostulated with and denounced if they wear hats at a matinee.

FEARFUL.

When I saw the baby eating as if he enjoyed it, my blood froze. Merciful heaven! Have you forgotten to sterilize the milk? I cried. I shall never forget the look of terror and despair that came into my wife's eyes.—Puck.



SHELDON LEWIS, WHO PLAYS "JUDAS" IN "THE HOLY CITY."



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
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ABOUT WOMEN EVERYWHERE

CAMILLA URSO'S DAUGHTER.
People in the subscription book trade award the palm for beauty and also for selling books to people who don't want to buy them to Mrs. Camilla Laura Rose.

Mrs. Rose is the daughter of the great violinist, Camilla Urso.

Inheriting from her famous mother great magnetism and personal charm, Mrs. Rose has found that the business of a "book broker" is easier than a profession, and she carries all before her with the simple force of her personality.

When Mrs. Rose was asked to tell how she does it she smiled her magnetic smile into the eyes of the newspaper man, and, producing a book, began to explain that it was irresistible in itself, and that any man who understood the immense value of a book, would help buying it. Then, with a dash of pity in an otherwise uncompromising heart, she added that she would not make the writer buy it unless he desired to.

"There are many things about the life of a woman book broker that are unpleasant," she said. "But there are also many that are pleasant. I always know from the first moment I see a man whether I can sell him a book. If he shakes his head and smiles I know that he is lost and that he will ultimately buy. If he says no, with a big round 'O,' I know that it is of no use. And I do not want to waste time. If he says, 'Come tomorrow,' he will surely buy. I have never known it to fail and generally he will buy before I leave."

"But if a woman says 'Come tomorrow,' it means that she will not buy, and I never go back. It is of no use. She will not see me on the morning, and I never take the trouble."

MAY WED IN CALIFORNIA.
Formal announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Nathalie P. Schenck, the only child of Mrs. Schenck, to Captain Glen Collins of the Cameron Highlanders, British army (retired). Although a young man, Captain Collins has resigned his commission in the army, as he is not in the most rugged health.

Miss Schenck, who is a noted beauty and a favorite in New York society, went abroad with her mother some months ago as guest of Mr. Eugene Higgins, on board his yacht, the Varuna. It was while traveling in the South of France that Miss Schenck met Captain Collins. Accompanied by her mother and Captain Collins, Miss Schenck arrived on the steamship Atlantic last Friday and on Saturday afternoon the party left for Monterey, Cal.

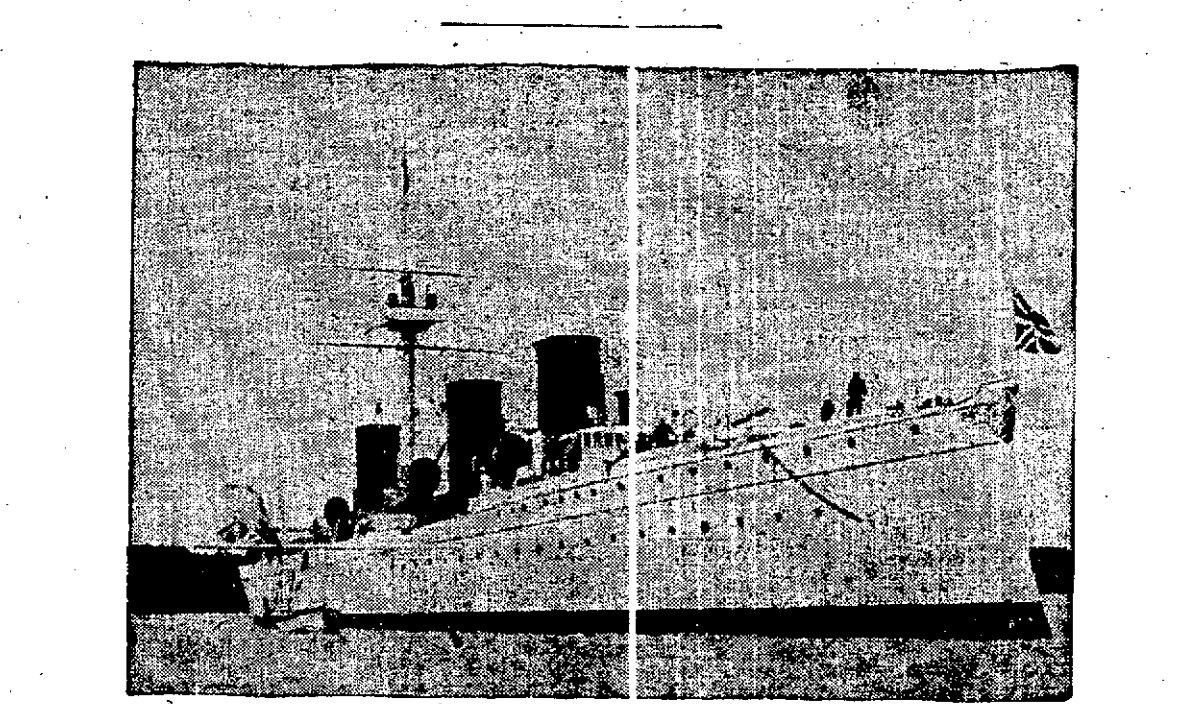
MENACED AT LOOM.
A PLUCKY WEAVER ENDURES A PAINFUL PERSECUTION.

Courage Pursued by Mr. Hickey to Bring to an End a Serious Interference With His Work.

The pluck with which Mr. C. H. Hickey, of No. 3 Main street, Harris, Rhode Island, exhibited in persisting in his work as a cotton weaver, while he continued to be the victim of an effort to drive him from his loom in the Bernon Mills of Georgia, made him an object of peculiar interest to his fellow workmen.

Every day his work was hampered more, and at its close he dragged him-

DEFENDS ALTHOUGH DISABLED.



Special interest attaches to the experiences of the Russian battleship Retvizan, which in the great Japanese assault at Port Arthur, sustained severe injury. The Retvizan is of over 12,000 tons displacement, and was launched at Cramp's yard, Philadelphia, in 1890. She was torpedoed by the Japanese below beach in order to prevent her sailing. She is still able to fire her guns and acts as a land battery.

where they intend to remain for several weeks.

It is very likely that the wedding will be celebrated some time in April, but whether here or in California, has not yet been decided upon.

Miss Schenck was introduced to society two years ago. She was a bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Catherine Nelson to Mr. Reginald C. Vanderbilt, which was celebrated at Newport last April.

HEAVILY INSURED WOMEN.
It is a toss-up, since the last policy was taken out, which woman carries the heavier life insurance. Mrs. Leonard Stanford of California or Mrs. Janet Dunsinuir of Toronto. The odds are in favor of Mrs. Stanford, for she is now rated as insured for "over" one million dollars, whereas Mrs. Dunsinuir is put down at an even million. There is no question but that they are the most heavily insured women (on the American continent, and far ahead of any of their sisters in the East. The next nearest is Mrs. Basil N. Duke of Durham, N. C., who has policies amounting to \$385,000. In this city there is no policy on the life of a woman for more than one-tenth of that carried by Mrs. Dunsinuir. Mrs. George E. Russell is insured for \$100,000. Mrs. Henry C. Alexander carries a policy for a similar amount, and so does Mrs. Robert K. Stafford. The total in New York, however—in policies of more than \$50,000 each—is not much greater than the insurance on the life of the wife of the California multi-millionaire.

A JAPANESE OPHELIA.
Japan have even progressed so far in the culture of the Occident that Sada Yacco, called the Japanese Duse, who has enjoyed triumphs in Europe itself, has now ventured to give "Hamlet" in Tokio. Sada Yacco's husband, Kawanishi, is also an actor of worth and the two have previously staged "Ophelia." But Sada Yacco has been forced to make some concessions to the tastes of her people, and one might not recognize at all points Shakespeare's immortal characters in the figures that tread the boards of the royal theater in Tokio. And yet the very success of this interesting venture of Sada Yacco, for the Japanese public has received it well, according to Die Woche of Berlin, marks again the amazing progress of her people as it is contrasted with the strange dramatic performances of the Japan of yesterday.

A CALIFORNIA INDUSTRY.
Mrs. Agnes Shorting, of South Pasadena, Cal., is known as the manufacturer of roselle jelly. She came to this country from England about sixteen years ago, and for the last four years has been experimenting with the roselle plant, which she has picked, dried and bottled, bringing her in a fair income. Probably not one woman in a hundred knows anything about the roselle plant, which fact should add to the honor Mrs. Shorting has as a discoverer of a new field for women. It is a native of Asia and Africa and has been widely distributed through semi-tropical countries. In Australia an excellent preserve is made and much sought after for picnics. There it is called the "lemonade plant" and makes a very healthful beverage. It is very prolific and the fruit is produced in the form of a husk or burr. Mrs. Shorting says a lot fifty by one hundred and fifty feet, with a four-room cottage, can be purchased for about six hundred dollars and produce a lot, properly planted, will yield about two hundred dollars per year.

LOVE AND CORROSIVE SUBIMATE.
The following romantic story is from the New York Telegraph: "When Virginia Anna Arnold of St. Paul, who is 35 years old and pretty, saw Atkins Lawrence of Brooklyn on the stage as one of the brothers in 'Shore Acres' she recognized her affinity. When Virginia Anna Arnold's parents heard about it they looked Mr. Lawrence over and concluded that he did not come up to their idea of what a real thing should be. This made Miss Arnold feel so pined that she mixed a corrosive subimate cocktail and drank it after leaving a tender note of farewell. It took four physicians five hours to save her life, and it was really five days before she was out of danger. Every day of the five Mr. Lawrence spent in the home of her parents, and they had a splendid chance to take a second look at him. The result was that when he was compelled to leave St. Paul with his company he had the promise from the head of the Arnold family that he might at the close of the season, make Miss Arnold his wife. A full season of forty weeks is a good while to a person in love, and it's about twice as long to two persons in love. Therefore the marriage is to be celebrated a little ahead of scheduled time—in Philadelphia next Sunday evening." But the romance becomes a little less interesting when it is known that Mr. Lawrence is about 35 years old. His really romantic days were when he was Mary Anderson's first Romeo.

WOMEN LAND AGENTS.
Nearly every field that is open to men in business or the professions has been invaded by women in the last twenty years, but it has remained for two Kansas young women to assume the work of railroad land agent.

Miss Helen Kimber and Miss Nellie Howard are under contract with a railway company, and are established in St. Joseph, Mo., as special land agents for the company. And they have the distinction of being the only women in the world retained by a railroad land department.

They not only sell the land, but they show it. They have for sale more than fifty million acres, quite enough to keep them busy and out of mischief.

Miss Kimber believes that Western Kansas will be even more profitable as an agricultural section than that of the middle or eastern part. It is scientific agriculture that is revolutionizing methods," she says, "and I believe that this much misunderstood section of the State will win out as a great producer without the use of irrigation. It needs plowing. The talk of a government ditch in Leaky, sand soil is a joke. If Uncle Sam will put into plowing in this semi-arid region one-half of the money required for irrigation, this western section would be a crop as big as that of any section of earth.

"This simply means as much of brains and effort should be put into farming as there is in other lines of business."

Miss Kimber thinks there should be a moral law compelling every young man and young woman to provide himself or herself with a quarter section of land. The men of great wealth today, she says, with few exceptions, are those who lay the foundation by buying land and holding on to it. Miss Kimber is from Parsons, Kansas, and is president of the Kansas Equal Suffrage association, but she does not mix politics with business.

Miss Howard is from Cottonwood Falls, Kansas, and was educated at the College of the Sisters of Bethany, in Topeka. After entrance into the active business life at the age of 13 was a surprise to her classmates. At her father's death she succeeded him as director of the Chase County National bank, and at once took an active part in the management of her affairs, so that she is known today as a careful banker.

A TALE FROM THE ORIENT.
The following item from an exchange sounds like a tale from the Arabian Nights. It says:

News from Cebu says the ameer is a peck of trouble with his family. The widow of the late ruler refuses to give up the treasures that were in her husband's keeping, and for some reason or other the ameer is afraid to enforce his will. The coveted jewels are said to fill to the brim four large chests. The blacksmiths who made them asserted so much when put to the torture.

The widow seems to be a very haughty dame, and has surrounded herself with a large bodyguard, that defies the ameer. Upon the latter's protest, the widow wrote to him:

"If thou wishest to have my inheritance, call for it. I am ready for thee."

The ameer has dismissed the chief justice of the land, his brother, Umar, and sent him into banishment.

If Umar, it appears, behatted with his own hand the ameer's master of horse when that official refused to let him have a carriage.

A NOVEL AFTERNOON.
A bright girl recently invited a party of young ladies to her home for a "matinee," telling them that they were to have the pleasure of the first reading of a new piece that was a comedy, tragedy and farce all in one. When the guests assembled the "drama" was produced. It proved to be a new guessing game, an absurd love story written with blanks to be filled in with the names of well-known stage people. Forty-five minutes were allowed for the contest, and then while the papers were being looked over, the girls were invited to another room, where one represented a stage by having a curtain stretched across it, and nearly covered with pictures of dramatic stars cut from magazines and papers and numbered. The girls were given paper and pencils again and required to write the correct name after the corresponding numbers.

At the conclusion of this pleasant task a maid announced refreshments. Repairing to the dining room, the guests found a regulator "property" feast awaiting them. At each plate was a perfect imitation of a fresh hot roll, but it proved to be made of paper-mache and the other eatables visible were composed of the same indigestible material. All proved to be provided with an opening, however, and the imitation roast turkey, loaf of bread and various fruits were found to be novel holders of salad, potato chips, and other genuine edibles that formed a part of the "really true" feast that now appeared.

At the conclusion of the "supper" the prizes for the successful contestants in the guessing games were awarded. A handsome opera bag and a scrap book with burnt-leather cover for preserving theater programs were the first prizes, and attractive posters of favorite comedians in ridiculous make-up formed the consolation awards.

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BUYING A WIFE ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

Gossip About Partial Payments and the Advantages of Telegraph Avenue.

BY BETTY MARTIN.

Telegraph avenue is a much talked about thoroughfare lately, for various reasons. It first gained a somewhat undesirable notoriety for its horrible condition, but, now that it is undergoing a change, the avenue bids fair to survive all others in popularity.

There are many reasons for this, among them being the fact that it takes one direct to Berkeley. Besides, so many beautiful homes have been erected on the line of late that it is a pleasure just to take the trip which is about three miles in length, and can be accomplished from the water front in Oakland to the entrance to the State University in Berkeley without annoyance of transfer. All this for five cents.

Speaking of the avenue, brings to mind an amusing circumstance which was related to me the other day, and vouched for as true—cross your heart and all that.

It has been finally and definitely decided to plant elms along that much discussed highway. Now, there are already several magnificent specimens of elms on Telegraph avenue which have attained the dignity and growth of years.

Rumor has it that certain ones among our wise city fathers,—or grandfathers—are thinking seriously of introducing a resolution at one of their meetings, to the effect that these be cut down, and new ones planted in their place, in order that all the elms should be of one size!

Could anything more amusing be imagined?

In line is another story, absolutely true. When Mayor Olney urged that the name Telegraph avenue be changed to University avenue, he made the statement, if I remember rightly, that the name Telegraph avenue had no particular significance. Anyway, as everybody knows, the old residents and merchants raised a roar, and the affair quieted down.

As a matter of fact, the name Telegraph avenue has a great and very important significance to Oakland, at least.

The name is distinctive, and a search through the United States Postal Directory will reveal the fact that it is the only highway in our whole great land bearing the name, "Telegraph avenue."

This statement is vouched for by an old employe of Uncle Sam's high in the service who relates the following circumstance connected with it.

All this winter a young lady from Chicago has been the guest of one of our prominent families on the avenue, and twice during her visit, has she received letters from her absent-minded mother, inscribed simply with her name and street number. The name of the city in each instance was omitted, also the name of the State. Yet the letters came safely on time.

Oakland should be proud to have achieved this unique distinction, and the postal department deserves a pretty compliment, too, for its efficiency.

Again, Telegraph avenue is prominently to the fore in another matter at present, and one which has entirely to do with the ladies.

It appears that Tuesday of this week had been set aside by the members of the Ebell society for discussion of the purchase of a building site. But Tuesday proved a busy day, and the matter was postponed until the second Tuesday in May. Meantime, the matter of purchase is being actively discussed, not alone by the committee having the matter in charge, but by the entire club, which has seldom been called upon before to exercise the right of franchise on so important a subject. Five sites have been offered for consideration, and a charming diplomacy is being exercised by leading Ebell members, each with a view to the purchase of her pet locality.

Mrs. Archie Bonhard has received hundreds of pretty compliments for the generous offer of her property on the northern corner of Webster and Twenty-eighth streets, and its accompanying gift of money, but the opposition urge that this purchase would mean an enormous outlay for foundation alone, owing to the peculiar situation, while the proximity of that huge wooden hospital is also regarded with disfavor.

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Francisco and claimed his own.

After all, why not? The story resolves itself into one of service, and the story, in a way, might be duplicated in the Bible.

Didn't Jacob serve fourteen years for Rachel? To be sure, he had the consolation of Leah's presence during seven of these years, and managed to get Laban, his father-in-law, also, but that is not the point, and would tend to confirm the theory expounded by a well-known local clergyman, that Jacob was by long odds, the meanest man told about in the Bible, but at any rate, Jacob showed his mettle.

Again, in higher social circles than those adorned by Sam Lam and his little Chinese maiden, the question of service, or its equivalent in yellow gold, still holds good. American girls of wealth have acquired the habit of buying degenerates from across the seas, for the sake merely of wearing a title to their names.

After all, customs vary more in degree than otherwise.

BETTY MARTIN.

COUNTY CLERK TO REGISTER VOTERS.

The voters of Alameda county are to be given a chance to register at their home towns by County Clerk John P. Cook and to this end arrangements have been made by him to have a corps of his deputies visit each town in the county upon certain nights and give all who wish a chance to register without having to come to the County office for the purpose.

Last night the work was begun at Berkeley under the supervision of Chief Deputy George Pierce and nearly one thousand voters took advantage of the occasion and registered.

Visits are to be paid in turn to the following places upon the following dates:

Castroville, Saturday, April 2nd. Niles, Tuesday, April 5th.

Alameda, Wednesday, April 6th. Mission San Jose, Thursday, April 7th.

Livermore, Saturday, April 8th. Irwin, Tuesday, April 12th.

Newark, Thursday, April 14th. Hayward, Saturday, April 16th.

Alameda, Tuesday, April 19th. Decoto, Thursday, April 21st.

Castroville, Saturday, April 23d. San Lorenzo, Thursday, May 5th.

Pleasanton, Saturday, May 7th. Sunol, Tuesday, May 10th.

St. Eden, Thursday, May 12th. Fruitvale, Friday, May 13th.

Elmhurst, Saturday, May 14th. This is as far as the program has been arranged but it is probable that other districts will be visited in case a sufficient number are to be accommodated.

In speaking of the registrations this morning Chief Deputy Pierce said: "We are expecting a very large registration this year. It is Presidential election and with the large number of people who have settled in the county in the last two years we expect that there will be at least 33,000 voters registered."

BIGGI WOULD
QUIET TITLE.

Suit to quiet title to property at Roy and Lusk street was begun today by Narciso Biggi against Ann M. E. Biggi, Stephen Biggi, Terese Brining and Henry Brining. The plaintiff in the case is a wealthy scavenger who has had difficulty with his wife for years and their quarrels and property interests have been in the courts for a long time. The husband is now suing to be declared the rightful owner to some parcels of land of no great value.

FUNERAL OF AL. BORCHERT.

The funeral of Albert Borchert, brother of Steward Borchert of the Receiving Hospital, was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. R. Dille, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, officiated at the services. Friends and acquaintances sent a profusion of flowers as a last mark of respect to the departed.

The following were the pallbearers: L. E. Andrews, Charles Kryster, Dr. M. L. Emerson, E. Conway, William Smith and John Sherry.

DEATH OF G. M. SMITH.

Gaun M. Smith, aged 57 years, and a native of New York, died at his home on New Broadway between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets. He had resided in this State for the last 27 years, although he only made his home in Oakland for the last six months.

MAGAZINES AND BOOKS.

FEATURES OF INTEREST TO BE
FOUND IN RECENT PUBLICATIONS.

"A Failure," by Charles Bloomingdale Jr., the author of "Mr. Miss and Mrs.," is a clever, charming and delightful story. It is up-to-date, and while dealing with romance, adventure, etc., touches upon many important questions of the day. An interesting account is given of the many unsuccessful ventures and experiences of the hero, John Franklin. When he is still a young man, he becomes the owner and operator of a cotton mill, and finally forced to sell his mill, realizing but a small sum. Then comes into his life the "one woman" who afterwards proves to be his guiding star. He starts life anew, and with her at his side, his failures stop and his successes begin. The story is interesting and entertaining throughout and could not be improved upon. It is illustrated with drawings by B. Floyd Campbell. Cloth bound it costs \$1.25. It is published by J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

BOOKLOVERS' MAGAZINE. "The Booklovers' Magazine" for April contains its usual number of charming features, among them being "The Princess Rosalba," by Virginia Tracy. The magazine is published by the Library Publishing Company, 1323 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

ATLANTIC MONTHLY. "The Atlantic Monthly" is an interesting and up-to-date magazine devoted to literature, science, art and politics. It is published by Houghton, Mifflin and Company, 4 Park street, Boston, Mass.

CAMERA CRAFT. "Camera Craft" is a monthly magazine devoted to all kinds of photography. It is illustrated and is published in San Francisco.

COLLIER'S WEEKLY. "Collier's" is an interesting, up-to-date weekly devoted to topics of the day, fiction, the drama, sports, etc. It is published at 416-424 West Thirtieth street, New York City.

MUSICAL LEADER. "The Musical Leader and Concert Goer" is a weekly record of musical events, dramatic and literary topics. It is published in Chicago Ill.

EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE. "Between Trains," a charming story by Catharine Young Glen, is one of the features of "Everybody's Magazine" for April. Other features are "The Unemployed Rich" and "The Rivals," by Charlotte Webb. A Deal in Bonds, by Rollin Kerby. The magazine is published by the Ridgway-Thayer Company, 31 East Seventeenth street, New York City.

WESTERN FIELD. "Western Field" is an interesting monthly magazine devoted to gentlemanly sports, physical culture, natural history, etc. It is published in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

LESLIE'S WEEKLY. "The Third Proposal," by "Maori-linda," a charming and interesting story, is one of the features in "Leslie's" for the current week. The magazine is published by the Judge Company, 225 Fourth avenue New York City.

LITERARY DIGEST. "The Literary Digest" is a weekly magazine devoted to topics of the day, letters and art, science, invention, the religious world, foreign topics, etc. It is published by Funk & Wagnalls Co., 30 Lafayette place, New York City.

NEW CENTURY FATH. "The New Century Path" is an interesting weekly devoted to literary, scientific problems, art, music, literature, fiction, woman's work, etc. It is published at Point Loma, Cal.

SUCCESSFUL AMERICAN. "The Successful American" is an illustrated monthly magazine containing sketches and portraits of representative men and women. It is published at 23 Park Row, New York City.

HARPER'S WEEKLY. "The Mormon Church in Trial," by Philip Loring Allen, is one of the feature articles in "Harper's" for the current week. The magazine is published in New York City.

MCCLURE'S MAGAZINE. The feature articles in "McClure's Magazine" for April are "Enemies of the Republic," "The Breaking up of the Standard Oil Trust" and "The Negro." Besides these there are seven interesting short stories, etc. The magazine is published at 111 East Twenty-first street, New York City.

READER MAGAZINE. "The Man on the Box," "The Monstrous," "O'Connell's Book," "The Claim on the Clunker" and "Columbia and the Cowboy" are the feature stories in the "Reader Magazine" for April. The magazine is published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis, Ind.

LESLIE'S MONTHLY. "Leslie's Monthly Magazine" for April contains many charming features prominent among them being "How Americans Amuse Themselves," "Our Melancholy Pastimes," "A Trio of Tricksters" and "The Chance for the American Singer." The magazine is published at 14-17 Fifth avenue, New York City.

THE STRAND. "The Strand Magazine" is an illustrated monthly. For the current month it contains a number of interesting stories, among them being "Dialstone Lane," "The Keeper of the King's Gift," "Echo" and "Venerable Babies." The magazine is published by the International News Company, 33-35 Duane street, New York City.

PEARSON'S. "Sir Arthur Hornby's Understudy," "The Patriotism of Japan," and "An Unavoidable Detention," are the feature articles in "Pearson's Magazine" for April. It is published at 2-20 Astor place, New York City.

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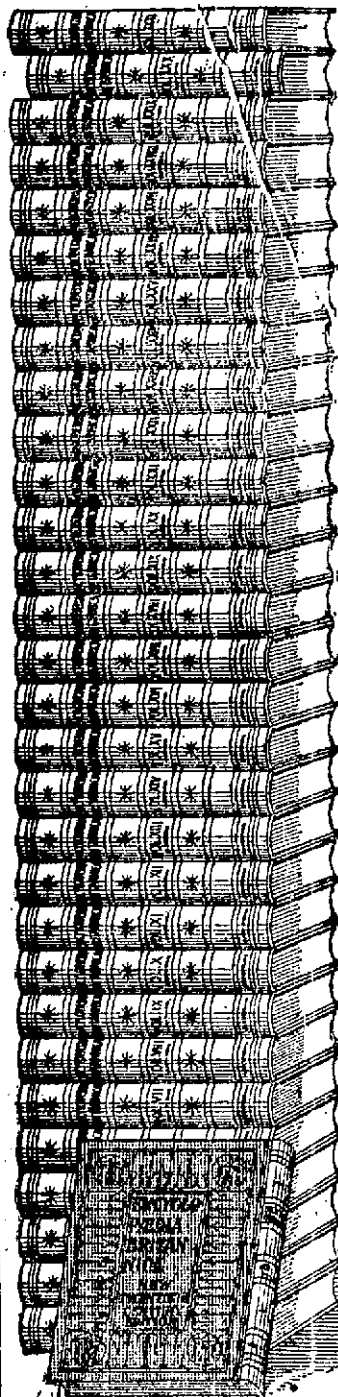
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Send Their Articles of Incorporation to Sacramento—Labor Notes of Interest.

Yesterday the newly formed Co-operative Meat Company of Oakland filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State at Sacramento. The new meat company has been formed on account of the lockout that has been on in Oakland between the Butchers' Union and the Retail Butchers' Association for the past three weeks. The directors of the co-operation are John L. Davis, J. R. Richardson, C. F. Scheithe, William Schart and Henry Schumann.

The market will be operated on the same plan as the Rochdale store now in operation throughout the state of California. The plan will include all branches of the meat industry from the slaughter-house to the retailers. The company has been offered a site for slaughtering pens at Emeryville. Owing to the location being convenient to all railroads entering Oakland, and as the co-operation is anxious to get in running order, the site will undoubtedly be accepted.

Fifty thousand dollars worth of stock has been sold in the company during the past week. The stock is valued at \$10 a share. Any person owning stock will be entitled to a percentage of the net profits at the end of each fiscal year.

SODA DRIVERS.

The Soda and Mineral Water Drivers' Union met in Teamsters' headquarters last night. Four new members were initiated.

CARRIAGE PAINTERS. Next Friday night there will be a special meeting held by the Carriage Painters. The meeting will be held to consider a number of resolutions in the new wage schedule to be presented to the bosses.

Carriage Painters' Union, No. 66, of San Francisco, expect to be affiliated with the Brotherhood by May 1. Financial Secretary C. L. Philbrick, of local union, No. 678, is negotiating with a committee from Union No. 66, to formulate a set of new by-laws and a constitution in anticipation of their joining the International Brotherhood. They are now associated with the International Carriage and Wagon Workers' Association.

Members of Union No. 68 are allowed to work on this side of the bay until such time as the matter is settled.

SHINGERS' UNION. A 10 cent assessment was levied for the locked out butchers by the Shinglers last night.

The three members that had been fined for working on unfair jobs were remitted their fines and dropped from the union. They are still in possession of the Building Trades Council working card, which runs for three months yet to come, but union men will not be allowed to work with them.

They were convicted of working on unfair jobs three different times. The fine in two of the cases was \$3, while the third was \$4.

MILLMEN NO. 550. The report of the stewards for the various mills were satisfactory.

The union purchased one share in the Co-operative Meat Company. An assessment of 10 cents was levied for the locked out butchers. Two members were initiated and one application received.

NEILL MAKES AN APRIL CALL.

VISITS THE MACDONOUGH AND COMPANY DANCES RAGTIME.

At the Macdonough Theater last night there was an interpellation, which, so to speak, caused the plains of Colorado to intermingle with the "Hills of California," which held the boards at the time, although it must be understood that the term hills is a patronymic and not a feature of the earth's surface. Frank Bacon, the star of the drama, had just entered and was about to take a drink of water from a bucket which he had just pulled out of the well. He put the bucket down, and as he did so a dozen men and women variously attired, some in modish suits and gowns, while others were grotesque to an extreme, burst upon the stage, executing a cakewalk in a manner which would have caused envy in Whitechapel and trooped from the first entrance on the right of the stage down the middle and then made their exit on the left upper entrance. The orchestra was playing a rag-time selection which made everybody a quiver.

Bacon looked on speechless and the greater part of the spectators felt that the dance was a part of the performance. People close to the stage, however, noticed a look of surprise on the star's face and a question of the fact which seemed to say, "Am I feeling things?" "When did I put these into my company?"

Neither question had been satisfactorily answered when the dancers returned by the same route they had traversed, still forming fantastic figures to the music of the orchestra and made their exit through "right first entrance."

At the last moment, Bacon recognized Actor James Neill in cowboy garb and it then dawned on him that the visitors were Neill's company who had given him a surprise party.

Bacon beckoned to the wing and Neill re-entered the stage and both Bacon and he shook hands warmly. Mr. Neill then advanced to the footlights and said:

"This visitation is the members of the company of the 'Cowboy and the Lady,' who, in recognition of the fact that this is April 1st, all fools' day, have given this surprise to their old friend and associate and to wish him success and prosperity in his production of the 'Hills of California.'"

Mr. Neill was applauded and declared that they had left at Ye Liberty Playhouse a small but appreciative audience, from whom they had stolen away and who were anxious for their return. He then retired from the stage.

After Mr. Neill had retired, Mr. Bacon for a moment seemed dazed. In a faint voice he said, "I hardly know where to begin. I guess I'll have to start where I began." And the audience laughed and the star continued showing at length that he considered the surprise in the friendly light which had prompted it.

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Attorney McDonald is well and favorably known in Oakland. He has practiced law in this city for the last nine years and has built up a large and growing clientele. Attorney McDonald has been the chairman of the Democratic County Committee for many years and is prominent in politics. He is a graduate of St. Mary's College and the Hastings Law College. He has offices at the corner of Seventh and Broadway. He is a member of the Atherian Club and a prominent Elk.

The contracting parties will make their home in this city.

The wedding will be private, only the immediate relatives being present. After the ceremony the couple will leave for a two weeks' honeymoon.

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D. A. Kennedy made application to be appointed a driver in the Fire Department.

William J. Moffitt was appointed a special policeman on the approval of Chief of Police Hodgkins.

Before the Commissioners adjourned, they discussed informally the charges preferred against Police Officer Scanlan by J. J. Mulvey, a newspaper, also the charges made by Mrs. Henry Martin and also charges made against Mrs. Reed, the prison matron, and Policemen Con Keefe and Hall.

Patrolman Hall is accused by Sergeant Lynch with neglect of duty in failing to report as provided by the regulations.

Scanlan is alleged to have kicked a newsboy with whom he had made a bet on the outcome of the Britt-Corlett prize fight.

The charge against Mrs. Reed the prison matron is that she unnecessarily exposed a woman recently while searching her clothing. The prison officials say that there is nothing in the charge, however.

Con Keefe is alleged to have used abusive language but this charge is thought by Chief of Police Hodgkins to be without good foundation.

All the matters discussed informally will come up at the next meeting of the Board.

TWO ENGAGEMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED.

The announcement is made of Dr. Luella Stone and Arthur Bruce Swauger. The wedding, which will be a quiet one, will take place the last week in April.

The engagement of Miss Mary Bright Wallace of Oakland and Lieutenant Gilbert A. McElroy, United States Army, has been announced.

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STEPHEN T. GAGE IN ROLE OF FIREMAN.

The residence of Stephen T. Gage, at 1500 Harrison street caught fire Thursday night, and would have been damaged to a considerable extent had not Mr. Gage climbed to the roof where the fire started, and by means of buckets of water, soon had the flames under control.

HORSE STEPS ON KEMPT'S FOOT.

A horse stepped on the foot of C. G. Kempt, a teamster, this morning and dislocated his little toe. While seemingly insignificant, the injury was such as to cause great pain and he was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where the bones were put in place.

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